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BASIC DEFINITIONS

WILDFIRE	Any fire that burns uncontrolled in vegetation or associated flammable material.
REPORTABLE FIRE	Any potentially destructive wildfire that requires suppression action to protect natural resources and their associated values.

LAND CLASSIFICATIONS

COMMERCIAL FOREST LAND	Forest land that produces, or is capable of producing, industrial wood crops and that is not withdrawn for timber use by statute or administrative regulation. This includes areas that can be managed to grow industrial wood crops and that generally produce more than 20 cubic feet per acre annual growth. The term "commercial forest land" refers to currently accessible and operable areas as well as prospectively accessible and operable areas.
NONCOMMERCIAL FOREST LAND	Unproductive forest land that cannot yield industrial wood crops because of adverse site conditions, and productive forest land withdrawn from commercial timber use through statute or administrative regulation.
NONFORESTED WATERSHED LAND	Land that has never supported forests, or formerly forested land, now developed for nonforest uses such as crops, improved pasture, residential areas, city parks, improved roads and adjoining rights-of-ways, powerline clearings, and certain areas of water classified as land by the Bureau of Census. Includes brush, chaparral, and grass-covered watershed of navigable streams or streams that are important water sources for domestic use or irrigation.

FIRE CAUSES

LIGHTNING	Self-explanatory.
CAMPFIRE	A wildfire resulting from a fire started for cooking, heating, or providing warmth.
SMOKING	Wildfires caused by matches, lighters, tobacco, or other smoking materials.
DEBRIS BURNING	A wildfire spreading from fires used to clear land; burn trash, range, stubble, meadow, rights-of-way, logging slash; or from other prescribed burning.
INCENDIARY	Wildfires willfully set by anyone to burn, or to spread to, vegetation or property not owned or controlled by him/her, without consent of the owner or his/her agent.
EQUIPMENT USE	Wildfires caused by any and all mechanical equipment other than railroad operations.
RAILROAD	Wildfires caused by all railroad operations including burning rights-of-way and ties.
LDREN	Wildfires started by children younger than 12 years old.
MISCELLANEOUS	Wildfires that cannot be properly classified under other general causes.

GEOGRAPHIC GROUPS OF STATES

Tables are arranged in the following geographic groups.

Pacific Northwest Region

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Pacific Southwest Region

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Northern Region

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Intermountain Region

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Rocky Mountain Region

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- Wyoming

Southwestern Region

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Alaska Region

- Alaska

Southern Region

- Alabama
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- Oklahoma
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- Virginia

Northeastern Area

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TABLE ıry of Land Area Qualifying for Protection,
--Feder State and Private Lands by Land Area Types
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		Acres	Acres	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent	Percent	Percent
UNITED STATES	Federal	736,447,797	682,215,797	54,232,000	92.63	207,362,949	30.39	474,852,848	69.60	0.14	0.00
	State & Private	1,052,196,426	851,463,188	200,733,238	80.92	501,297,847	58.87	350,165,341	41.12	0.11	1.55
	TOTAL	1,788,644,223	1,533,678,985	254,965,238	85.74	708,660,796	46.20	825,018,189	53.79	0.12	1.22
PACIFIC	Federal	47,038,442	46,867,442	171,000	99.63	29,120,218	62.13	17,747,224	37.86	0.45	0.00
NORTHWEST	State & Private	40,205,000	26,276,000	13,929,000	65.35	23,702,000	90.20	2,574,000	9.79	0.01	0.00
REGION	TOTAL	87,243,442	73,143,442	14,100,000	83.83	52,822,218	72.21	20,321,224	27.78	0.29	0.00
PACIFIC	Federal	39,745,803	39,745,803	---	100.00	20,917,803	52.62	18,828,000	47.37	0.05	0.00
SOUTHWEST	State & Private	36,221,427	36,221,427	---	100.00	22,421,288	61.90	13,800,139	38.09	0.33	0.00
REGION	TOTAL	75,967,230	75,967,230	---	100.00	43,339,091	57.04	32,628,139	42.95	0.18	0.00
NORTHERN	Federal	72,273,015	72,273,015	---	100.00	38,541,538	53.32	33,731,477	46.67	0.37	0.00
REGION	State & Private	105,097,274	73,460,401	31,636,873	69.89	39,677,353	54.01	33,783,048	45.98	0.03	0.10
	TOTAL	177,370,289	145,733,416	31,636,873	82.16	78,218,891	53.67	67,514,525	46.32	0.20	0.10
INTERMOUNTAIN	Federal	92,741,609	92,741,609	---	100.00	13,212,609	14.24	79,529,000	85.75	0.43	0.00
REGION	State & Private	23,501,000	23,501,000	---	100.00	4,742,000	20.17	18,759,000	79.82	0.47	0.00
	TOTAL	116,242,609	116,242,609	---	100.00	17,954,609	15.44	98,288,000	84.55	0.44	0.00
ROCKY	Federal	69,977,982	69,977,982	---	100.00	24,225,089	34.61	45,752,893	65.38	0.04	0.00
MOUNTAIN	State & Private	127,830,601	120,062,192	7,768,409	93.92	9,300,396	7.74	110,761,796	92.25	0.09	0.00
REGION	TOTAL	197,808,583	190,040,174	7,768,409	96.07	33,525,485	17.64	156,514,689	82.35	0.08	0.00
SOUTHWESTERN	Federal	76,158,521	76,158,521	---	100.00	22,216,109	29.17	53,942,412	70.82	0.04	0.00
REGION	State & Private	58,527,000	58,527,000	---	100.00	11,312,559	19.32	47,214,441	80.67	0.08	0.00
	TOTAL	134,685,521	134,685,521	---	100.00	33,528,668	24.89	101,156,853	75.10	0.06	0.00
ALASKA	Federal	307,387,437	253,326,437	54,061,000	82.41	34,296,437	13.53	219,031,000	86.46	0.00	0.00
REGION	State & Private	67,500,000	66,301,151	1,198,849	98.22	45,700,000	68.92	20,601,151	31.07	0.04	0.00
	TOTAL	374,887,437	319,627,588	55,259,849	85.25	79,995,437	25.02	239,632,151	74.97	0.01	0.00
SOUTHERN	Federal	16,745,692	16,745,692	---	100.00	12,443,850	74.31	4,301,842	25.68	0.12	0.00
REGION	State & Private	380,756,676	250,120,008	130,636,668	65.69	196,961,579	78.74	53,158,429	21.25	0.14	8.96
	TOTAL	397,502,368	266,865,700	130,636,668	67.14	209,405,429	78.46	57,460,271	21.53	0.14	8.96
NORTHEASTERN	Federal	14,379,296	14,379,296	---	100.00	12,390,296	86.16	1,989,000	13.83	0.03	0.00
AREA	State & Private	212,557,448	196,994,009	15,563,439	92.67	147,480,672	74.86	49,513,337	25.13	0.05	0.31
	TOTAL	226,936,744	211,373,305	15,563,439	93.14	159,870,968	75.63	51,502,337	24.36	0.05	0.31

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ALABAMA	Federal	697,378	697,378	---	100.00	644,378	92.40	53,000	7.59	0.06	0.00
	State & Private	32,596,100	25,028,924	7,567,176	76.78	21,658,800	86.53	3,370,124	13.46	0.25	0.00
	TOTAL	33,293,478	25,726,302	7,567,176	77.27	22,303,178	86.69	3,423,124	13.30	0.24	0.00
ALASKA	Federal	307,387,437	253,326,437	54,061,000	82.41	34,296,437	13.53	219,031,000	86.46	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	67,500,000	66,301,151	1,198,849	98.22	46,700,000	68.92	20,601,151	31.07	0.04	0.00
	TOTAL	374,887,437	319,627,588	55,259,849	85.25	79,996,437	25.02	239,632,151	74.97	0.01	0.00
ARIZONA	Federal	46,271,462	46,271,462	---	100.00	12,383,462	26.76	33,888,000	73.23	0.07	0.00
	State & Private	18,328,000	18,328,000	---	100.00	4,314,000	23.53	14,014,000	76.46	0.10	0.00
	TOTAL	64,599,462	64,599,462	---	100.00	16,697,462	25.84	47,902,000	74.15	0.08	0.00
ARKANSAS	Federal	2,477,280	2,477,280	---	100.00	2,477,280	100.00	---	0.00	0.02	0.00
	State & Private	20,698,000	20,698,000	---	100.00	15,828,500	76.47	4,869,500	23.52	0.15	0.00
	TOTAL	23,175,280	23,175,280	---	100.00	18,305,780	78.98	4,869,500	21.01	0.14	0.00
CALIFORNIA	Federal	39,745,803	39,745,803	---	100.00	20,917,803	52.62	18,828,000	47.37	0.05	0.00
	State & Private	32,833,484	32,833,484	---	100.00	20,616,485	62.79	12,216,999	37.20	0.26	0.00
	TOTAL	72,579,287	72,579,287	---	100.00	41,534,288	57.22	31,044,999	42.77	0.15	0.00
COLORADO	Federal	24,114,523	24,114,523	---	100.00	13,892,593	57.61	10,221,930	42.38	0.05	0.00
	State & Private	25,958,109	25,958,109	---	100.00	4,842,614	18.65	21,115,495	81.34	0.04	0.00
	TOTAL	50,072,632	50,072,632	---	100.00	18,735,207	37.41	31,337,425	62.58	0.04	0.00
CONNECTICUT	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	0.00	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	2,390,000	2,390,000	---	100.00	1,928,000	80.66	462,000	19.33	0.03	0.00
	TOTAL	2,390,000	2,390,000	---	100.00	1,928,000	80.66	462,000	19.33	0.03	0.00
DELAWARE	Federal	24,000	24,000	---	100.00	---	0.00	24,000	100.00	0.01	0.00
	State & Private	557,000	557,000	---	100.00	557,000	100.00	---	0.00	0.00	0.00
	TOTAL	581,000	581,000	---	100.00	557,000	95.86	24,000	4.13	0.00	0.00
FLORIDA	Federal	2,089,558	2,089,558	---	100.00	1,105,558	52.90	984,000	47.09	0.02	0.00
	State & Private	27,102,218	27,102,218	---	100.00	15,537,953	57.33	11,564,265	42.66	0.15	0.00
	TOTAL	29,191,776	29,191,776	---	100.00	16,643,511	57.01	12,548,265	42.98	0.14	0.00
GEORGIA	Federal	1,314,364	1,314,364	---	100.00	861,364	65.53	453,000	34.46	0.04	0.00
	State & Private	27,279,400	27,279,400	---	100.00	23,420,500	85.85	3,858,900	14.14	0.09	0.00
	TOTAL	28,593,764	28,593,764	---	100.00	24,281,864	84.92	4,311,900	15.07	0.09	0.00
GUAM	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	0.00	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	81,643	81,643	---	100.00	30,903	37.85	50,740	62.14	12.55	0.00
	TOTAL	81,643	81,643	---	100.00	30,903	37.85	50,740	62.14	12.55	0.00

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HAWAII	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	0.00	0.09	0.00
	State & Private	3,306,300	3,306,300	---	100.00	1,773,900	53.65	1,532,400	46.34	0.09	0.00
	TOTAL	3,306,300	3,306,300	---	100.00	1,773,900	53.65	1,532,400	46.34	0.09	0.00
IDAHO	Federal	33,296,525	33,296,525	---	100.00	20,900,867	62.77	12,395,658	37.22	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	12,592,200	7,126,690	5,465,510	56.59	4,320,400	60.62	2,806,290	39.37	0.66	0.00
	TOTAL	45,888,725	40,423,215	5,465,510	88.08	25,221,267	62.39	15,201,948	37.60	0.66	0.00
ILLINOIS	Federal	341,240	341,240	---	100.00	253,240	74.21	88,000	25.78	0.65	0.00
	State & Private	8,452,767	8,452,767	---	100.00	3,584,772	42.40	4,867,995	57.59	0.01	0.00
	TOTAL	8,794,007	8,794,007	---	100.00	3,838,012	43.64	4,955,995	56.35	0.54	0.00
INDIANA	Federal	187,280	187,280	---	100.00	187,280	100.00	---	0.00	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	7,328,000	7,328,000	---	100.00	3,012,000	41.10	4,316,000	58.89	0.01	0.00
	TOTAL	7,515,280	7,515,280	---	100.00	3,199,280	42.57	4,316,000	57.42	0.01	0.00
IOWA	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	0.00	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	7,612,000	7,612,000	---	100.00	2,586,000	33.97	5,026,000	66.02	0.04	0.00
	TOTAL	7,612,000	7,612,000	---	100.00	2,586,000	33.97	5,026,000	66.02	0.04	0.00
KANSAS	Federal	160,177	160,177	---	100.00	---	0.00	160,177	100.00	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	19,792,714	19,792,714	---	100.00	1,323,000	6.68	18,469,714	93.31	0.01	0.00
	TOTAL	19,952,891	19,952,891	---	100.00	1,323,000	6.63	18,629,891	93.36	0.01	0.00
KENTUCKY	Federal	528,932	528,932	---	100.00	528,932	100.00	---	0.00	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	16,864,671	16,864,671	---	100.00	10,934,085	64.83	5,930,586	35.16	0.22	0.00
	TOTAL	17,393,603	17,393,603	---	100.00	11,463,017	65.90	5,930,586	34.09	0.22	0.00
LOUISIANA	Federal	852,839	852,839	---	100.00	597,839	70.09	255,000	29.90	0.12	0.00
	State & Private	20,938,643	20,938,643	---	100.00	20,938,643	100.00	---	0.00	0.18	0.00
	TOTAL	21,791,482	21,791,482	---	100.00	21,536,482	98.82	255,000	1.17	0.18	0.00
MAINE	Federal	41,833	41,833	---	100.00	41,833	100.00	---	0.00	0.19	0.00
	State & Private	17,743,000	17,743,000	---	100.00	17,220,000	97.05	523,000	2.94	0.14	0.00
	TOTAL	17,784,833	17,784,833	---	100.00	17,261,833	97.05	523,000	2.94	0.15	0.00
MARYLAND	Federal	19,000	19,000	---	100.00	---	0.00	19,000	100.00	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	3,700,000	3,700,000	---	100.00	2,800,000	75.67	900,000	24.32	0.00	0.00
	TOTAL	3,719,000	3,719,000	---	100.00	2,800,000	75.28	919,000	24.71	0.00	0.00
MASSACHUSETTS	Federal	57,000	57,000	---	100.00	---	0.00	57,000	100.00	0.02	0.00
	State & Private	3,581,000	3,581,000	---	100.00	3,145,000	87.82	436,000	12.17	0.20	0.00
	TOTAL	3,638,000	3,638,000	---	100.00	3,145,000	86.44	493,000	13.55	0.20	0.00

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MICHIGAN	Federal	3,418,544	3,418,544	---	100.00	2,771,544	81.07	647,000	18.92	0.04	0.00
	State & Private	19,675,000	19,675,000	---	100.00	16,677,000	84.76	2,998,000	15.23	0.02	0.00
	TOTAL	23,093,544	23,093,544	---	100.00	19,448,544	84.21	3,645,000	15.78	0.02	0.00
MINNESOTA	Federal	4,032,546	4,032,546	---	100.00	3,211,546	79.64	821,000	20.35	0.02	0.00
	State & Private	22,830,000	22,830,000	---	100.00	16,167,000	70.81	6,663,000	29.18	0.11	0.00
	TOTAL	26,862,546	26,862,546	---	100.00	19,378,546	72.13	7,484,000	27.86	0.10	0.00
MISSISSIPPI	Federal	1,270,688	1,270,688	---	100.00	1,157,688	91.10	113,000	8.89	0.29	0.00
	State & Private	20,021,133	19,858,422	162,711	99.18	15,387,805	77.48	4,470,617	22.51	0.21	0.92
	TOTAL	21,291,821	21,129,110	162,711	99.23	16,545,493	78.30	4,583,617	21.69	0.22	0.92
MISSOURI	Federal	1,452,901	1,452,901	---	100.00	1,452,901	100.00	---	0.00	0.13	0.00
	State & Private	23,777,475	16,586,955	7,190,520	69.75	10,127,045	61.05	6,459,910	38.94	0.16	0.27
	TOTAL	25,230,376	18,039,856	7,190,520	71.50	11,579,946	64.19	6,459,910	35.80	0.16	0.27
MONTANA	Federal	34,872,671	34,872,671	---	100.00	17,640,671	50.58	17,232,000	49.41	0.15	0.00
	State & Private	50,528,325	34,838,853	15,689,472	68.94	34,838,853	100.00	---	0.00	0.01	0.19
	TOTAL	85,400,996	69,711,524	15,689,472	81.62	52,479,524	75.28	17,232,000	24.71	0.08	0.19
NEBRASKA	Federal	759,589	759,589	---	100.00	266,257	35.05	493,332	64.94	0.03	0.00
	State & Private	27,154,400	27,154,400	---	100.00	976,100	3.59	26,178,300	96.40	0.07	0.00
	TOTAL	27,913,989	27,913,989	---	100.00	1,242,357	4.45	26,671,632	95.54	0.07	0.00
NEVADA	Federal	58,804,088	58,804,088	---	100.00	5,184,088	8.81	53,620,000	91.18	0.08	0.00
	State & Private	8,777,000	8,777,000	---	100.00	77,000	0.87	8,700,000	99.12	0.17	0.00
	TOTAL	67,581,088	67,581,088	---	100.00	5,261,088	7.78	62,320,000	92.21	0.09	0.00
NEW HAMPSHIRE	Federal	686,790	686,790	---	100.00	686,790	100.00	---	0.00	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	4,631,000	4,631,000	---	100.00	4,345,000	93.82	286,000	6.17	0.00	0.00
	TOTAL	5,317,790	5,317,790	---	100.00	5,031,790	94.62	286,000	5.37	0.00	0.00
NEW JERSEY	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	0.00	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	2,705,000	2,705,000	---	100.00	2,163,000	79.96	542,000	20.03	0.26	0.00
	TOTAL	2,705,000	2,705,000	---	100.00	2,163,000	79.96	542,000	20.03	0.26	0.00
NEW MEXICO	Federal	29,887,059	29,887,059	---	100.00	9,832,647	32.89	20,054,412	67.10	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	40,199,000	40,199,000	---	100.00	6,998,559	17.40	33,200,441	82.59	0.07	0.00
	TOTAL	70,086,059	70,086,059	---	100.00	16,831,206	24.01	53,254,853	75.98	0.04	0.00
NEW YORK	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	0.00	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	20,[illegible],761	16,957,586	3,764,175	81.87	14,049,980	82.85	2,907,546	17.14	0.00	0.53
	A.	20,[illegible],761	16,957,586	3,764,175	81.87	14,049,980	82.85	2,907,546	17.14	0.00	0.53

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TABLE 1.--Summary of Land Area Qualifying for Protection
--Federal and State and Private Lands by Land Area Types
--Calendar Year 1983 (Continued)

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP 2/ 3/ 4/	AREA QUALIFYING FOR PROTECTION				PROTECTED FOREST AND NONFORESTED WATERSHED LANDS				QUALIFYING AREA BURNED	
		Total Qualifying Area	Total Area Protected	Total Area Unprotected	Percent Protected	Total Forest Area Protected	Percent of Total Protected Area	Total Protected Nonforested Watershed	Percent of Total Protected Area	Percent Burned On Protected Area	Percent Burned On Unprotected Area
		Acres	Acres	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent	Percent	Percent
NORTH CAROLINA	Federal	1,725,912	1,725,912	---	100.00	1,262,912	73.17	463,000	26.82	0.37	0.00
	State & Private	21,216,624	20,817,258	399,366	98.11	17,862,358	85.80	2,954,900	14.19	0.06	0.28
	TOTAL	22,942,536	22,543,170	399,366	98.25	19,125,270	84.83	3,417,900	15.16	0.08	0.28
NORTH DAKOTA	Federal	4,103,819	4,103,819	---	100.00	---	0.00	4,103,819	100.00	0.04	0.00
	State & Private	41,976,749	31,494,858	10,481,891	75.02	518,100	1.64	30,976,758	98.35	0.05	0.01
	TOTAL	46,080,568	35,598,677	10,481,891	77.25	518,100	1.45	35,080,577	98.54	0.04	0.01
OHIO	Federal	176,694	176,694	---	100.00	176,694	100.00	---	0.00	0.03	0.00
	State & Private	10,441,649	5,822,905	4,618,744	55.76	4,055,614	69.64	1,767,291	30.35	0.04	0.12
	TOTAL	10,618,343	5,999,599	4,618,744	56.50	4,232,308	70.54	1,767,291	29.45	0.04	0.12
OKLAHOMA	Federal	446,385	446,385	---	100.00	248,085	55.57	198,300	44.42	0.30	0.00
	State & Private	27,973,000	5,087,000	22,886,000	18.18	4,082,000	80.24	1,005,000	19.75	0.58	2.18
	TOTAL	28,419,385	5,533,385	22,886,000	19.47	4,330,085	78.25	1,203,300	21.74	0.56	2.18
OREGON	Federal	32,798,023	32,798,023	---	100.00	18,429,799	56.19	14,368,224	43.80	0.64	0.00
	State & Private	23,027,000	13,099,000	9,928,000	56.88	10,525,000	80.34	2,574,000	19.65	0.01	0.00
	TOTAL	55,825,023	45,897,023	9,928,000	82.21	28,954,799	63.08	16,942,224	36.91	0.46	0.00
PENNSYLVANIA	Federal	547,393	547,393	---	100.00	510,393	93.24	37,000	6.75	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	19,540,856	19,540,856	---	100.00	16,083,261	82.30	3,457,595	17.69	0.02	0.00
	TOTAL	20,088,249	20,088,249	---	100.00	16,593,654	82.60	3,494,595	17.39	0.02	0.00
PUERTO RICO	Federal	27,846	27,846	---	100.00	27,846	100.00	---	0.00	2.20	0.00
	State & Private	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	0.00	0.03	0.00
	TOTAL	27,846	27,846	---	100.00	27,846	100.00	---	0.00	0.03	0.00
RHODE ISLAND	Federal	1,000	1,000	---	100.00	---	0.00	1,000	100.00	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	512,000	512,000	---	100.00	411,000	80.27	101,000	19.72	0.00	0.00
	TOTAL	513,000	513,000	---	100.00	411,000	80.11	102,000	19.88	0.00	0.00
SOUTH CAROLINA	Federal	775,329	775,329	---	100.00	609,329	78.58	166,000	21.41	0.12	0.00
	State & Private	13,038,087	13,038,087	---	100.00	12,031,090	92.27	1,006,997	7.72	0.11	0.00
	TOTAL	13,813,416	13,813,416	---	100.00	12,640,419	91.50	1,172,997	8.49	0.11	0.00
SOUTH DAKOTA	Federal	14,210,296	14,210,296	---	100.00	1,136,226	7.99	13,074,071	92.00	0.13	0.00
	State & Private	26,816,449	26,816,449	---	100.00	706,397	2.73	25,111,052	97.26	0.07	0.00
	TOTAL	40,026,745	40,026,745	---	100.00	1,841,622	4.60	38,185,123	95.39	0.09	0.00

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP 2/ 3/ 4/	AREA QUALIFYING FOR PROTECTION				PROTECTED FOREST AND NONFORESTED WATERSHED LANDS				QUALIFYING AREA BURNED	
		Total Qualifying Area	Total Area Protected	Total Area Unprotected	Percent Protected	Total Forest Area Protected	Percent of Total Protected Area	Total Protected Nonforested Watershed	Percent of Total Protected Area	Percent Burned On Protected Area	Percent Burned On Unprotected Area
		Acres	Acres	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent	Percent	Percent
										0.21	0.00
TENNESSEE	Federal	625,250	625,250	---	100.00	625,250	100.00	---	0.00	0.19	0.00
	State & Private	12,879,000	12,765,900	113,100	99.12	12,765,900	100.00	---	0.00	0.20	0.00
	TOTAL	13,504,250	13,391,150	113,100	99.16	13,391,150	100.00	---	0.00		
TEXAS	Federal	1,962,624	1,962,624	---	100.00	665,082	33.88	1,297,542	66.11	0.09	0.00
	State & Private	121,631,000	22,122,685	99,508,315	18.19	12,223,545	55.25	9,899,140	44.74	0.05	2.55
	TOTAL	123,593,624	24,085,309	99,508,315 5/	19.49	12,888,627	53.51	11,196,682	46.48	0.05	2.55
UTAH	Federal	33,937,521	33,937,521	---	100.00	8,028,521	23.65	25,909,000	76.34	1.06	0.00
	State & Private	14,724,000	14,724,000	---	100.00	4,665,000	31.68	10,059,000	68.31	0.64	0.00
	TOTAL	48,661,521	48,661,521	---	100.00	12,693,521	26.08	35,968,000	73.91	0.93	0.00
VERMONT	Federal	294,023	294,023	---	100.00	294,023	100.00	---	0.00	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	4,638,000	4,638,000	---	100.00	4,081,000	87.99	557,000	12.00	0.00	0.00
	TOTAL	4,932,023	4,932,023	---	100.00	4,375,023	88.70	557,000	11.29	0.00	0.00
VIRGINIA	Federal	1,951,307	1,951,307	---	100.00	1,632,307	83.65	319,000	16.34	0.01	0.00
	State & Private	18,518,800	18,518,800	---	100.00	14,290,400	77.16	4,228,400	22.83	0.02	0.00
	TOTAL	20,470,107	20,470,107	---	100.00	15,922,707	77.78	4,547,400	22.21	0.02	0.00
WASHINGTON	Federal	14,240,419	14,069,419	171,000	98.79	10,690,419	75.98	3,379,000	24.01	0.01	0.00
	State & Private	17,178,000	13,177,000	4,001,000	76.70	13,177,000	100.00	---	0.00	0.01	0.00
	TOTAL	31,418,419	27,246,419	4,172,000	86.72	23,867,419	87.59	3,379,000	12.40	0.01	0.00
WEST VIRGINIA	Federal	966,736	966,736	---	100.00	966,736	100.00	---	0.00	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	12,833,000	12,833,000	---	100.00	10,430,000	81.27	2,403,000	18.72	0.15	0.00
	TOTAL	13,799,736	13,799,736	---	100.00	11,396,736	82.58	2,403,000	17.41	0.14	0.00
WISCONSIN	Federal	2,132,316	2,132,316	---	100.00	1,837,316	86.16	295,000	13.83	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	18,898,000	18,898,000	---	100.00	14,058,000	74.38	4,840,000	25.61	0.01	0.00
	TOTAL	21,030,316	21,030,316	---	100.00	15,895,316	75.58	5,135,000	24.41	0.01	0.00
WYOMING	Federal	30,733,397	30,733,397	---	100.00	8,930,014	29.05	21,803,383	70.94	0.00	0.00
	State & Private	29,108,929	21,340,620	7,768,409	73.31	1,453,285	6.80	19,887,235	93.19	0.11	0.00
	TOTAL	59,842,326	52,073,917	7,768,409	87.01	10,383,299 *	19.93	41,690,618	80.06	0.05	0.00

1/ See page 3 for list of States included in each Group.

2/ Federal land areas shown as Needing Protection, Protected, and Unprotected, are taken from official reports submitted by the reporting Federal agencies.

3/ State and privately owned land areas shown as Protected are under the protection of the Rural Fire Prevention and Control Program.

* Protected Federal land areas shown are under the protection of the following Federal agencies: Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, Fish and Wildlife Service, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and Tennessee Valley Authority.

5/ Texas included 98,747,387 additional acres of 'unprotected' lands. These additional acres are non-Federal wildlands that receive fire protection through organized volunteer fire departments, or other [illegible]

Tab' Summary of Fires and Acres Burned
on d Federal and State and Private Lands
--Ca Year 1983

GROUPS OF STATES	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES					AREA BURNED				
		TOTAL	Protected Area		Unprotected Area		TOTAL	Protected Area		Unprotected Area	
		Number	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Acres	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent
UNITED STATES	Federal	10,444	10,444	100.00	---	0.00	1,016,963	1,016,963	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	151,205	84,725	56.03	66,480	43.96	4,063,590	943,750	23.22	3,119,840	76.77
	TOTAL	161,649	95,169	58.87	66,480	41.12	5,080,553	1,960,713	38.59	3,119,840	61.40
PACIFIC	Federal	1,364	1,364	100.00	---	0.00	215,161	215,161	100.00	---	0.00
NORTHWEST	State & Private	1,210	1,210	100.00	---	0.00	3,935	3,935	100.00	---	0.00
REGION	TOTAL	2,574	2,574	100.00	---	0.00	219,096	219,096	100.00	---	0.00
PACIFIC	Federal	1,276	1,276	100.00	---	0.00	23,604	23,604	100.00	---	0.00
SOUTHWEST	State & Private	8,486	8,486	100.00	---	0.00	119,812	119,812	100.00	---	0.00
REGION	TOTAL	9,762	9,762	100.00	---	0.00	143,416	143,416	100.00	---	0.00
NORTHERN	Federal	1,451	1,451	100.00	---	0.00	273,156	273,156	100.00	---	0.00
REGION	State & Private	2,502	946	37.80	1,556	62.19	55,491	23,804	42.89	31,687	57.10
	TOTAL	3,953	2,397	60.63	1,556	39.36	328,647	296,960	90.35	31,687	9.64
INTERMOUNTAIN	Federal	673	673	100.00	---	0.00	407,060	407,060	100.00	---	0.00
REGION	State & Private	511	508	99.41	3	0.58	111,676	111,067	99.45	609	0.54
	TOTAL	1,184	1,181	99.74	3	0.25	518,736	518,127	99.88	609	0.11
ROCKY	Federal	999	999	100.00	---	0.00	33,977	33,977	100.00	---	0.00
MOUNTAIN	State & Private	8,557	8,514	99.49	43	0.50	119,973	119,411	99.53	562	0.46
REGION	TOTAL	9,556	9,513	99.55	43	0.44	153,950	153,388	99.63	562	0.36
SOUTHWESTERN	Federal	3,188	3,188	100.00	---	0.00	35,777	35,777	100.00	---	0.00
REGION	State & Private	619	619	100.00	---	0.00	50,477	50,477	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	3,807	3,807	100.00	---	0.00	86,254	86,254	100.00	---	0.00
ALASKA	Federal	145	145	100.00	---	0.00	2,585	2,585	100.00	---	0.00
REGION	State & Private	253	253	100.00	---	0.00	32,276	32,276	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	398	398	100.00	---	0.00	34,861	34,861	100.00	---	0.00
SOUTHERN	Federal	945	945	100.00	---	0.00	20,824	20,824	100.00	---	0.00
REGION	State & Private	79,028	43,450	54.98	35,578	45.01	3,404,736	366,854	10.77	3,037,882	89.22
	TOTAL	79,973	44,395	55.51	35,578	44.48	3,425,560	387,678	11.31	3,037,882	88.68
NORTHEASTERN	Federal	403	403	100.00	---	0.00	4,819	4,819	100.00	---	0.00
AREA	State & Private	50,039	20,739	41.44	29,300	58.55	165,214	116,114	70.28	49,100	29.71
	TOTAL	50,442	21,142	41.91	29,300	58.08	170,033	120,933	71.12	49,100	28.87

ST TERRIT. COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES					AREA BURNED				
		TOTAL	Protected Area		Unprotected Area		TOTAL	Protected Area		Unprotected Area	
		Number	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Acres	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent
ALABAMA	Federal	62	62	100.00	---	0.00	450	450	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	4,712	4,712	100.00	---	0.00	62,738	62,738	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	4,774	4,774	100.00	---	0.00	63,188	63,188	100.00	---	0.00
ALASKA	Federal	145	145	100.00	---	0.00	2,585	2,585	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	253	253	100.00	---	0.00	32,276	32,276	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	398	398	100.00	---	0.00	34,861	34,861	100.00	---	0.00
ARIZONA	Federal	2,569	2,569	100.00	---	0.00	33,418	33,418	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	351	351	100.00	---	0.00	19,627	19,627	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	2,920	2,920	100.00	---	0.00	53,045	53,045	100.00	---	0.00
ARKANSAS	Federal	89	89	100.00	---	0.00	690	690	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	2,185	2,185	100.00	---	0.00	31,810	31,810	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	2,274	2,274	100.00	---	0.00	32,500	32,500	100.00	---	0.00
CALIFORNIA	Federal	1,276	1,276	100.00	---	0.00	23,604	23,604	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	7,302	7,302	100.00	---	0.00	87,583	87,583	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	8,578	8,578	100.00	---	0.00	111,187	111,187	100.00	---	0.00
COLORADO	Federal	358	358	100.00	---	0.00	12,822	12,822	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	831	831	100.00	---	0.00	11,752	11,752	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	1,189	1,189	100.00	---	0.00	24,574	24,574	100.00	---	0.00
CONNECTICUT	Federal	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---	0.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	1,100	1,100	100.00	---	0.00	833	833	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	1,100	1,100	100.00	---	0.00	833	833	100.00	---	0.00
DELAWARE	Federal	1	1	100.00	---	0.00	3	3	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	7	7	100.00	---	0.00	30	30	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	8	8	100.00	---	0.00	33	33	100.00	---	0.00
FLORIDA	Federal	86	86	100.00	---	0.00	569	569	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	4,182	4,182	100.00	---	0.00	41,063	41,063	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	4,268	4,268	100.00	---	0.00	41,632	41,632	100.00	---	0.00
GEORGIA	Federal	48	48	100.00	---	0.00	620	620	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	6,922	6,922	100.00	---	0.00	26,529	26,529	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	6,970	6,970	100.00	---	0.00	27,149	27,149	100.00	---	0.00
GUAM	Federal	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---	0.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	960	960	100.00	---	0.00	10,247	10,247	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	960	960	100.00	---	0.00	10,247	10,247	100.00	---	0.00

Table ~ Summary of Fires and Acres Burned
on Pr Federal and State and Private Lands
--Cal ear 1983

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES					AREA BURNED				
		TOTAL	Protected Area		Unprotected Area		TOTAL	Protected Area		Unprotected Area	
		Number	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Acres	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent
HAWAII	Federal	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---	0.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	224	224	100.00	---	0.00	21,982	21,982	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	224	224	100.00	---	0.00	21,982	21,982	100.00	---	0.00
IDAHO	Federal	633	633	100.00	---	0.00	217,107	217,107	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	227	227	100.00	---	0.00	1,385	1,385	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	860	860	100.00	---	0.00	218,492	218,492	100.00	---	0.00
ILLINOIS	Federal	9	9	100.00	---	0.00	8	8	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	82	82	100.00	---	0.00	948	948	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	91	91	100.00	---	0.00	956	956	100.00	---	0.00
INDIANA	Federal	2	2	100.00	---	0.00	2	2	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	419	419	100.00	---	0.00	3,587	3,587	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	421	421	100.00	---	0.00	3,589	3,589	100.00	---	0.00
IOWA	Federal	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---	0.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	1,209	1,209	100.00	---	0.00	1,287	1,287	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	1,209	1,209	100.00	---	0.00	1,287	1,287	100.00	---	0.00
KANSAS	Federal	1	1	100.00	---	0.00	10	10	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	4,858	4,858	100.00	---	0.00	44,891	44,891	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	4,859	4,859	100.00	---	0.00	44,901	44,901	100.00	---	0.00
KENTUCKY	Federal	59	59	100.00	---	0.00	660	660	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	2,032	2,032	100.00	---	0.00	31,702	31,702	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	2,091	2,091	100.00	---	0.00	32,362	32,362	100.00	---	0.00
LOUISIANA	Federal	95	95	100.00	---	0.00	1,674	1,674	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	3,944	3,944	100.00	---	0.00	31,179	31,179	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	4,039	4,039	100.00	---	0.00	32,853	32,853	100.00	---	0.00
MAINE	Federal	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---	0.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	650	650	100.00	---	0.00	1,185	1,185	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	650	650	100.00	---	0.00	1,185	1,185	100.00	---	0.00
MARYLAND	Federal	1	1	100.00	---	0.00	4	4	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	517	517	100.00	---	0.00	7,706	7,706	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	518	518	100.00	---	0.00	7,710	7,710	100.00	---	0.00

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES					AREA BURNED				
		TOTAL	Protected Area		Unprotected Area		TOTAL	Protected Area		Unprotected Area	
		Number	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Acres	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent
MASSACHUSETTS	Federal	3	3	100.00	---	0.00	53	53	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	4,794	4,794	100.00	---	0.00	3,441	3,441	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	4,797	4,797	100.00	---	0.00	3,494	3,494	100.00	---	0.00
MICHIGAN	Federal	46	46	100.00	---	0.00	1,454	1,454	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	647	647	100.00	---	0.00	4,374	4,374	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	693	693	100.00	---	0.00	5,828	5,828	100.00	---	0.00
MINNESOTA	Federal	165	165	100.00	---	0.00	1,183	1,183	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	1,318	1,318	100.00	---	0.00	27,321	27,321	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	1,483	1,483	100.00	---	0.00	28,504	28,504	100.00	---	0.00
MISSISSIPPI	Federal	162	162	100.00	---	0.00	3,725	3,725	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	4,119	4,039	98.05	80	1.94	44,821	43,321	96.65	1,500	3.34
	TOTAL	4,281	4,201	98.13	80	1.86	48,546	47,046	96.91	1,500	3.08
MISSOURI	Federal	83	83	100.00	---	0.00	1,911	1,911	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	4,368	2,968	67.94	1,400	32.05	47,175	27,175	57.60	20,000	42.39
	TOTAL	4,451	3,051	68.54	1,400	31.45	49,086	29,086	59.25	20,000	40.74
MONTANA	Federal	677	677	100.00	---	0.00	54,404	54,404	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	1,826	326	17.85	1,500	82.14	36,512	6,512	17.83	30,000	82.16
	TOTAL	2,503	1,003	40.07	1,500	59.92	90,916	60,916	67.00	30,000	32.99
NEBRASKA	Federal	20	20	100.00	---	0.00	275	275	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	1,184	1,184	100.00	---	0.00	19,581	19,581	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	1,204	1,204	100.00	---	0.00	19,856	19,856	100.00	---	0.00
NEVADA	Federal	352	352	100.00	---	0.00	47,308	47,308	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	186	183	98.38	3	1.61	16,329	15,720	96.27	609	3.72
	TOTAL	538	535	99.44	3	0.55	63,637	63,028	99.04	609	0.95
NEW HAMPSHIRE	Federal	2	2	100.00	---	0.00	2	2	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	832	832	100.00	---	0.00	354	354	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	834	834	100.00	---	0.00	356	356	100.00	---	0.00
NEW JERSEY	Federal	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---	0.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	1,091	1,091	100.00	---	0.00	7,129	7,129	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	1,091	1,091	100.00	---	0.00	7,129	7,129	100.00	---	0.00
NEW MEXICO	Federal	619	619	100.00	---	0.00	2,359	2,359	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	268	268	100.00	---	0.00	30,850	30,850	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	887	887	100.00	---	0.00	33,209	33,209	100.00	---	0.00
NEW YORK	Federal	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---	0.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	25,356	356	1.40	25,000	98.59	21,685	1,685	7.34	20,000	92.65
	TOTAL	25,356	356	1.40	25,000	98.59	21,685	1,685	7.34	20,000	92.65

Table ? Summary of Fires and Acres Burned
on Pr Federal and State and Private Lands
--Cal ear 1983

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES					AREA BURNED				
		TOTAL	Protected Area		Unprotected Area		TOTAL	Protected Area		Unprotected Area	
		Number	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Acres	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent
NORTH CAROLINA	Federal	82	82	100.00	---	0.00	6,613	6,613	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	3,307	2,784	84.18	523	15.81	13,643	12,499	91.61	1,144	8.38
	TOTAL	3,389	2,836	84.42	523	15.57	20,156	19,012	94.32	1,144	5.67
NORTH DAKOTA	Federal	141	141	100.00	---	0.00	1,645	1,645	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	449	393	87.52	56	12.47	17,594	15,907	90.41	1,687	9.58
	TOTAL	590	534	90.50	56	9.49	19,239	17,552	91.23	1,687	8.76
OHIO	Federal	13	13	100.00	---	0.00	66	66	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	2,838	838	29.52	2,000	70.47	8,542	2,542	29.75	6,000	70.24
	TOTAL	2,851	851	29.84	2,000	70.15	8,608	2,608	30.29	6,000	69.70
OKLAHOMA	Federal	71	71	100.00	---	0.00	1,353	1,353	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	16,570	1,570	9.47	15,000	90.52	529,763	29,763	5.61	500,000	94.38
	TOTAL	16,641	1,641	9.86	15,000	90.13	531,116	31,116	5.85	500,000	94.14
OREGON	Federal	1,017	1,017	100.00	---	0.00	212,752	212,752	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	714	714	100.00	---	0.00	2,152	2,152	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	1,731	1,731	100.00	---	0.00	214,904	214,904	100.00	---	0.00
PENNSYLVANIA	Federal	6	6	100.00	---	0.00	34	34	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	948	948	100.00	---	0.00	4,038	4,038	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	954	954	100.00	---	0.00	4,072	4,072	100.00	---	0.00
PUERTO RICO	Federal	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---	0.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---	0.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---	0.00	---	0.00
RHODE ISLAND	Federal	1	1	100.00	---	0.00	22	22	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	108	108	100.00	---	0.00	178	178	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	109	109	100.00	---	0.00	200	200	100.00	---	0.00
SOUTH CAROLINA	Federal	61	61	100.00	---	0.00	960	960	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	4,306	4,306	100.00	---	0.00	15,328	15,328	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	4,367	4,367	100.00	---	0.00	16,288	16,288	100.00	---	0.00
SOUTH DAKOTA	Federal	443	443	100.00	---	0.00	18,676	18,676	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	950	950	100.00	---	0.00	18,613	18,613	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	1,393	1,393	100.00	---	0.00	37,189	37,189	100.00	---	0.00

TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES					AREA BURNED				
		TOTAL	Protected Area		Unprotected Area		TOTAL	Protected Area		Unprotected Area	
		Number	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Acres	Acres	Percent	Acres	Percent
TENNESSEE	Federal	79	79	100.00	---	0.00	1,374	1,374	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	2,901	2,901	100.00	---	0.00	25,464	25,464	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	2,980	2,980	100.00	---	0.00	26,838	26,838	100.00	---	0.00
TEXAS	Federal	42	42	100.00	---	0.00	1,888	1,888	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	21,146	1,171	5.53	19,975	94.46	2,646,928	11,690	0.45	2,635,238	99.54
	TOTAL	21,188	1,213	5.72	19,975	94.27	2,648,816	13,578	0.53	2,635,238	99.46
UTAH	Federal	321	321	100.00	---	0.00	359,752	359,752	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	325	325	100.00	---	0.00	95,347	95,347	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	646	646	100.00	---	0.00	455,099	455,099	100.00	---	0.00
VERMONT	Federal	1	1	100.00	---	0.00	---	---	0.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	162	162	100.00	---	0.00	227	227	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	163	163	100.00	---	0.00	227	227	100.00	---	0.00
VIRGINIA	Federal	39	39	100.00	---	0.00	348	348	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	2,702	2,702	100.00	---	0.00	3,768	3,768	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	2,741	2,741	100.00	---	0.00	4,116	4,116	100.00	---	0.00
WASHINGTON	Federal	347	347	100.00	---	0.00	2,409	2,409	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	496	496	100.00	---	0.00	1,783	1,783	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	843	843	100.00	---	0.00	4,192	4,192	100.00	---	0.00
WEST VIRGINIA	Federal	9	9	100.00	---	0.00	44	44	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	1,425	1,425	100.00	---	0.00	19,587	19,587	100.00	---	0.00
	TOTAL	1,434	1,434	100.00	---	0.00	19,631	19,631	100.00	---	0.00
WISCONSIN	Federal	61	61	100.00	---	0.00	33	33	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	2,248	1,348	59.96	900	40.03	5,687	2,587	45.48	3,100	54.51
	TOTAL	2,309	1,409	61.02	900	38.97	5,720	2,620	45.80	3,100	54.19
WYOMING	Federal	177	177	100.00	---	0.00	2,294	2,294	100.00	---	0.00
	State & Private	734	691	94.14	43	5.85	25,136	24,574	97.76	562	2.23
	TOTAL	911	868	95.27	43	4.72	27,430	26,868	97.95	562	2.04

Table 3.--Number of Wildfires in the United States by Causes
--Protected Area Only--By States and Groups of States
--Calendar Year 1983

GROUPS OF STATES	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY CAUSE CLASSES 1/										PERSON-CAUSED	
		Lightning	Campfires	Smoking	Debris Burning	Incendiary	Equipment Use	Railroads	Children	Miscellaneous	TOTAL	No. of Fires	Percent of Total
UNITED STATES	Federal	4,584	840	499	838	1,119	389	75	785	1,315	10,444	5,860	56.10
	State & Private	3,647	1,832	6,200	21,848	24,991	5,502	3,157	6,221	11,327	84,725	81,078	95.69
	TOTAL	8,231	2,672	6,699	22,686	26,110	5,891	3,232	7,006	12,642	95,169	86,938	91.35
PACIFIC	Federal	792	185	64	98	37	49	8	41	90	1,364	572	41.93
NORTHWEST	State & Private	314	119	84	325	51	39	13	83	182	1,210	896	74.04
REGION	TOTAL	1,106	304	148	423	88	88	21	124	272	2,574	1,468	57.03
PACIFIC	Federal	620	120	66	52	139	79	8	39	153	1,276	656	51.41
SOUTHWEST	State & Private	508	272	513	1,097	1,750	2,073	52	880	1,341	8,486	7,978	94.01
REGION	TOTAL	1,128	392	579	1,149	1,889	2,152	60	919	1,494	9,762	8,634	88.44
NORTHERN	Federal	785	68	63	174	47	43	14	74	183	1,451	666	45.89
REGION	State & Private	367	37	129	148	8	61	41	31	124	946	579	61.20
	TOTAL	1,152	105	192	322	55	104	55	105	307	2,397	1,245	51.93
INTERMOUNTAIN	Federal	348	46	34	68	82	31	10	20	34	673	325	48.29
REGION	State & Private	141	10	24	71	59	46	37	46	74	508	367	72.24
	TOTAL	489	56	58	139	141	77	47	66	108	1,181	692	58.59
ROCKY	Federal	402	78	50	179	21	50	5	134	80	999	597	59.75
MOUNTAIN	State & Private	719	153	420	1,778	192	679	757	166	3,650	8,514	7,795	91.55
REGION	TOTAL	1,121	231	470	1,957	213	729	762	300	3,730	9,513	8,392	88.21
SOUTHWESTERN	Federal	1,413	251	161	173	70	90	9	385	636	3,188	1,775	55.67
REGION	State & Private	172	23	92	92	28	63	20	19	110	619	447	72.21
	TOTAL	1,585	274	253	265	98	153	29	404	746	3,807	2,222	58.36
ALASKA	Federal	114	17	2	4	1	1	---	---	6	145	31	21.37
REGION	State & Private	31	46	8	76	21	22	3	19	27	253	222	87.74
	TOTAL	146	63	10	80	22	23	3	19	33	398	253	63.56
SOUTHERN	Federal	93	41	29	33	584	28	12	5	120	945	852	90.15
REGION	State & Private	1,066	410	3,483	12,445	17,871	1,555	1,343	1,926	3,351	43,450	42,384	97.54
	TOTAL	1,159	451	3,512	12,478	18,455	1,583	1,355	1,931	3,471	44,395	43,236	97.38
NORTHEASTERN	Federal	17	34	30	57	138	18	9	87	13	403	386	95.78
AREA	State & Private	329	762	1,447	5,816	5,011	964	891	3,051	2,468	20,739	20,410	98.41
	TOTAL	346	796	1,477	5,873	5,149	982	900	3,138	2,481	21,142	20,796	98.36

GROUPS OF STATES	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY CAUSE CLASSES 1/										PERSON-CAUSED	
		Lightning	Campfires	Smoking	Debris Burning	Incendiary	Equipment Use	Railroads	Children	Miscellaneous	TOTAL	No. of Fires	Percen of Tota
ALABAMA	Federal	2	---	2	---	50	2	---	---	6	62	60	96.77
	State & Private	39	24	369	1,174	2,536	139	64	127	240	4,712	4,673	99.17
	TOTAL	41	24	371	1,174	2,586	141	64	127	246	4,774	4,733	99.14
ALASKA	Federal	114	17	2	4	1	1	---	---	6	145	31	21.37
	State & Private	31	46	8	76	21	22	3	19	27	253	222	87.74
	TOTAL	145	63	10	80	22	23	3	19	33	398	253	63.66
ARIZONA	Federal	919	206	144	161	65	85	9	370	610	2,569	1,650	64.22
	State & Private	66	17	65	48	12	43	10	11	79	351	285	81.19
	TOTAL	985	223	209	209	77	128	19	381	689	2,920	1,935	66.26
ARKANSAS	Federal	14	2	4	1	62	1	2	---	3	89	75	84.26
	State & Private	51	24	223	632	870	96	56	55	178	2,185	2,134	97.66
	TOTAL	65	26	227	633	932	97	58	55	181	2,274	2,209	97.14
CALIFORNIA	Federal	620	120	66	52	139	79	8	39	153	1,276	656	51.41
	State & Private	507	262	381	905	1,092	2,065	52	763	1,275	7,302	6,795	93.05
	TOTAL	1,127	382	447	957	1,231	2,144	60	802	1,428	8,578	7,451	86.86
COLORADO	Federal	202	40	21	36	2	11	2	18	26	358	156	43.57
	State & Private	79	135	46	115	41	34	39	---	342	831	752	90.49
	TOTAL	281	175	67	151	43	45	41	18	368	1,189	908	76.36
CONNECTICUT	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	6	110	55	98	512	42	7	230	40	1,100	1,094	99.45
	TOTAL	6	110	55	98	512	42	7	230	40	1,100	1,094	99.45
DELAWARE	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	1	1	100.00
	State & Private	1	---	1	2	1	---	---	2	---	7	6	85.71
	TOTAL	1	---	1	2	1	---	---	2	1	8	7	87.50
FLORIDA	Federal	29	5	4	---	25	7	---	1	15	86	57	66.27
	State & Private	372	83	348	851	1,224	15	192	221	876	4,182	3,810	91.10
	TOTAL	401	88	352	851	1,249	22	192	222	891	4,268	3,867	90.60
GEORGIA	Federal	3	1	1	3	28	---	---	---	12	48	45	93.75
	State & Private	183	56	613	2,697	1,624	380	421	468	480	6,922	6,739	97.36
	TOTAL	186	57	614	2,700	1,652	380	421	468	492	6,970	6,784	97.33
GUAM	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	---	---	93	138	624	---	---	105	---	960	960	100.00
	TOTAL	---	---	93	138	624	---	---	105	---	960	960	100.00

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--Pro... Area Only--By States and Groups of States
--Calendar Year 1983 (Continued)

GROUPS OF STATES	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY CAUSE CLASSES 1/										PERSON-CAUSED	
		Lightning	Campfires	Smoking	Debris Burning	Incendiary	Equipment Use	Railroads	Children	Miscellaneous	TOTAL	No. of Fires	Percent of Total
HAWAII	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	1	10	39	54	34	8	---	12	66	224	223	99.55
	TOTAL	1	10	39	54	34	8	---	12	66	224	223	99.55
IDAHO	Federal	444	42	15	26	26	11	4	1	64	633	189	29.85
	State & Private	87	11	8	56	6	17	7	7	28	227	140	61.67
	TOTAL	531	53	23	82	32	28	11	8	92	860	329	38.25
ILLINOIS	Federal	1	---	3	2	2	---	---	---	1	9	8	88.88
	State & Private	---	---	19	54	3	1	4	---	1	82	82	100.00
	TOTAL	1	---	22	56	5	1	4	---	2	91	90	98.90
INDIANA	Federal	---	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	2	2	100.00
	State & Private	2	7	50	267	31	14	7	7	34	419	417	99.52
	TOTAL	2	7	51	268	31	14	7	7	34	421	419	99.52
IOWA	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	12	---	151	403	88	25	119	56	355	1,209	1,197	99.00
	TOTAL	12	---	151	403	88	25	119	56	355	1,209	1,197	99.00
KANSAS	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	1	1	100.00
	State & Private	199	5	255	1,086	85	354	238	76	2,560	4,858	4,659	95.90
	TOTAL	199	5	255	1,086	85	354	238	76	2,561	4,859	4,660	95.90
KENTUCKY	Federal	1	9	---	---	39	1	---	3	6	59	58	98.30
	State & Private	11	47	200	570	709	56	26	67	346	2,032	2,021	99.45
	TOTAL	12	56	200	570	748	57	26	70	352	2,091	2,079	99.42
LOUISIANA	Federal	---	2	5	4	71	2	4	---	7	95	95	100.00
	State & Private	8	14	52	510	3,196	23	53	15	73	3,944	3,936	99.79
	TOTAL	8	16	57	514	3,267	25	57	15	80	4,039	4,031	99.80
MAINE	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	63	40	38	163	93	77	48	84	44	650	587	90.30
	TOTAL	63	40	38	163	93	77	48	84	44	650	587	90.30
MARYLAND	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	1	1	100.00
	State & Private	11	9	50	134	149	26	12	56	90	537	526	97.95
	TOTAL	11	9	50	134	149	26	13	56	90	538	527	97.95

GROUPS OF STATES	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY CAUSE CLASSES 1/										PERSON-CAUSED	
		Lightning	Campfires	Smoking	Debris Burning	Incendiary	Equipment Use	Railroads	Children	Miscellaneous	TOTAL	No. of Fires	Percent of Total
MASSACHUSETTS	Federal	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	2	3	3	100.00
	State & Private	7	224	315	752	1,010	65	126	1,701	594	4,794	4,787	99.85
	TOTAL	7	224	315	752	1,011	65	126	1,701	596	4,797	4,790	99.85
MICHIGAN	Federal	9	8	9	3	8	7	2	---	---	46	37	80.43
	State & Private	38	38	60	147	72	60	11	40	81	547	509	93.05
	TOTAL	47	46	69	150	80	67	13	40	81	593	546	92.07
MINNESOTA	Federal	4	11	9	46	32	5	6	47	5	165	161	97.57
	State & Private	13	24	56	418	510	64	63	84	86	1,318	1,305	99.01
	TOTAL	17	35	65	464	542	69	69	131	91	1,483	1,466	98.85
MISSISSIPPI	Federal	3	3	5	6	130	2	---	---	13	162	159	98.14
	State & Private	10	8	198	879	2,715	43	10	35	141	4,039	4,029	99.75
	TOTAL	13	11	203	885	2,845	45	10	35	154	4,201	4,188	99.69
MISSOURI	Federal	---	3	6	---	72	2	---	---	---	83	83	100.00
	State & Private	42	20	167	1,556	743	117	117	48	158	2,968	2,926	98.58
	TOTAL	42	23	173	1,556	815	119	117	48	158	3,051	3,009	98.62
MONTANA	Federal	335	23	48	114	16	27	10	56	48	677	342	50.51
	State & Private	166	22	7	65	1	5	23	13	24	326	160	49.07
	TOTAL	501	45	55	179	17	32	33	69	72	1,003	502	50.04
NEBRASKA	Federal	8	1	---	3	---	1	3	1	3	20	12	60.00
	State & Private	90	---	64	309	12	174	317	28	190	1,184	1,094	92.39
	TOTAL	98	1	64	312	12	175	320	29	193	1,204	1,106	91.86
NEVADA	Federal	158	16	22	49	53	18	7	12	17	352	194	55.11
	State & Private	29	7	12	20	7	19	24	26	39	183	154	84.15
	TOTAL	187	23	34	69	60	37	31	38	56	535	348	65.04
NEW HAMPSHIRE	Federal	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	1	50.00
	State & Private	16	72	100	139	29	18	13	188	257	832	816	98.07
	TOTAL	17	72	101	139	29	18	13	188	257	834	817	97.96
NEW JERSEY	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	4	39	133	19	604	21	11	180	80	1,091	1,087	99.63
	TOTAL	4	39	133	19	604	21	11	180	80	1,091	1,087	99.63
NEW MEXICO	Federal	494	45	17	12	5	5	7	15	26	619	125	20.19
	State & Private	106	6	27	44	16	20	10	8	31	268	162	60.44
	TOTAL	600	51	44	56	21	25	10	23	57	887	287	32.35
NEW YORK	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	39	70	28	74	36	12	7	40	61	356	317	89.04
	TOTAL	39	70	28	74	35	12	7	[illegible]	[illegible]			

Table 3.--Number of Wildfires in the United States by Causes
--Protected Area Only--By States and Groups of States
--Calendar Year 1983 (Continued)

GROUPS OF STATES	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY CAUSE CLASSES 1/										PERSON-CAUSED	
		Lightning	Campfires	Smoking	Debris Burning	Incendiary	Equipment Use	Railroads	Children	Miscellaneous	TOTAL	No. of Fires	Percent of Total
NORTH CAROLINA	Federal	4	6	2	4	26	1	---	---	9	52	48	92.30
	State & Private	98	23	273	1,002	648	157	129	195	259	2,784	2,686	96.47
	TOTAL	102	29	275	1,006	674	158	129	195	268	2,836	2,734	96.40
NORTH DAKOTA	Federal	6	3	---	34	5	5	---	17	71	141	135	95.74
	State & Private	114	4	114	27	1	39	11	11	72	393	279	70.99
	TOTAL	120	7	114	61	6	44	11	28	143	534	414	77.52
OHIO	Federal	---	---	---	---	10	1	---	---	2	13	13	100.00
	State & Private	---	10	61	392	93	44	11	14	213	838	838	100.00
	TOTAL	---	10	61	392	103	45	11	14	215	851	851	100.00
OKLAHOMA	Federal	4	---	1	12	27	7	2	1	17	71	67	94.36
	State & Private	24	9	8	472	910	53	21	19	54	1,570	1,546	98.47
	TOTAL	28	9	9	484	937	60	23	20	71	1,641	1,613	98.29
OREGON	Federal	646	128	40	67	17	29	6	23	61	1,017	371	36.47
	State & Private	248	64	52	159	29	4	3	52	103	714	466	65.26
	TOTAL	894	192	92	226	46	33	9	75	164	1,731	837	48.35
PENNSYLVANIA	Federal	---	4	---	---	---	2	---	---	---	6	6	100.00
	State & Private	13	38	39	297	311	72	82	47	49	948	935	98.62
	TOTAL	13	42	39	297	311	74	82	47	49	954	941	98.63
PUERTO RICO	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	TOTAL	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
RHODE ISLAND	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	1	1	100.00
	State & Private	1	11	2	13	50	13	1	10	7	108	107	99.07
	TOTAL	1	11	2	13	50	13	1	10	8	109	108	99.08
SOUTH CAROLINA	Federal	4	1	1	---	42	3	3	---	7	61	57	93.44
	State & Private	156	32	470	1,079	1,708	285	140	241	195	4,306	4,150	96.37
	TOTAL	160	33	471	1,079	1,750	288	143	241	202	4,367	4,207	96.33
SOUTH DAKOTA	Federal	105	8	20	130	9	20	---	113	38	443	338	76.29
	State & Private	189	3	37	97	40	102	2	42	438	950	761	80.10
	TOTAL	294	11	57	227	49	122	2	155	476	1,393	1,099	78.89

GROUPS OF STATES	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY CAUSE CLASSES 1/										PERSON-CAUSED	
		Lightning	Campfires	Smoking	Debris Burning	Incendiary	Equipment Use	Railroads	Children	Miscellaneous	TOTAL	No. of Fires	Percent of Total
TENNESSEE	Federal	7	3	1	1	59	---	---	---	8	79	72	91.13
	State & Private	15	22	151	1,282	1,177	51	47	41	115	2,901	2,886	99.48
	TOTAL	22	25	152	1,283	1,236	51	47	41	123	2,980	2,958	99.26
TEXAS	Federal	6	5	2	1	15	1	---	---	12	42	36	85.71
	State & Private	5	31	38	597	272	36	70	21	101	1,171	1,166	99.57
	TOTAL	11	36	40	598	287	37	70	21	113	1,213	1,202	99.09
UTAH	Federal	190	30	12	19	29	13	3	8	17	321	131	40.80
	State & Private	112	3	12	51	52	27	13	20	35	325	213	65.53
	TOTAL	302	33	24	70	81	40	16	28	52	646	344	53.25
VERMONT	Federal	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	1	1	100.00
	State & Private	7	6	5	70	14	15	5	10	30	162	155	95.67
	TOTAL	7	6	5	70	15	15	5	10	30	163	156	95.70
VIRGINIA	Federal	16	4	1	1	10	1	1	---	5	39	23	58.97
	State & Private	94	37	540	700	282	221	114	421	293	2,702	2,608	96.52
	TOTAL	110	41	541	701	292	222	115	421	298	2,741	2,631	95.98
WASHINGTON	Federal	146	57	24	31	20	20	2	18	29	347	201	57.92
	State & Private	66	55	32	166	22	35	10	31	79	496	430	86.69
	TOTAL	212	112	56	197	42	55	12	49	108	843	631	74.85
WEST VIRGINIA	Federal	2	5	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	9	7	77.77
	State & Private	8	14	61	416	542	82	72	65	165	1,425	1,417	99.43
	TOTAL	10	19	62	416	543	82	72	65	165	1,434	1,424	99.30
WISCONSIN	Federal	---	3	---	5	11	1	---	40	1	61	61	100.00
	State & Private	46	30	56	402	121	196	175	189	133	1,348	1,302	96.58
	TOTAL	46	33	56	407	132	197	175	229	134	1,409	1,363	96.73
WYOMING	Federal	87	29	9	10	10	18	---	2	12	177	90	50.84
	State & Private	162	10	18	171	14	15	161	20	120	691	529	76.55
	TOTAL	249	39	27	181	24	33	161	22	132	868	619	71.31

1/ See page 2 for Fire Cause definitions.

Table 4. ..mber of Wildfires in the United States by Area Types
--Protected Area Only--By States and Groups of States
--Calendar Year 1983

GROUPS OF STATES	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY AREA TYPES 1/					
		Commercial Forest	Non-Commercial Forest	TOTAL FOREST	TOTAL NONFORESTED WATERSHED	Fires Not Identified By Area Type 2/	GRAND TOTAL
UNITED STATES	Federal	1,924	1,043	2,967	3,571	3,906	10,444
	State & Private	45,634	7,045	52,679	31,034	---	83,713
	TOTAL	47,558	8,088	55,646	34,605	3,906	94,157
PACIFIC NORTHWEST REGION	Federal	234	129	363	241	760	1,364
	State & Private	956	74	1,030	180	---	1,210
	TOTAL	1,190	203	1,393	421	760	2,574
PACIFIC SOUTHWEST REGION	Federal	105	111	216	278	782	1,276
	State & Private	581	1,459	2,040	6,446	---	8,486
	TOTAL	686	1,570	2,256	6,724	782	9,762
NORTHERN REGION	Federal	138	172	310	619	522	1,451
	State & Private	409	99	508	438	---	946
	TOTAL	547	271	818	1,057	522	2,397
INTERMOUNTAIN REGION	Federal	39	106	145	409	119	673
	State & Private	8	42	50	458	---	508
	TOTAL	47	148	195	867	119	1,181
ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGION	Federal	93	119	212	542	245	999
	State & Private	279	66	345	8,157	---	8,502
	TOTAL	372	185	557	8,699	245	9,501
SOUTHWESTERN REGION	Federal	444	250	694	1,335	1,159	3,188
	State & Private	86	46	132	487	---	619
	TOTAL	530	296	826	1,822	1,159	3,807
ALASKA REGION	Federal	3	60	63	59	23	145
	State & Private	1	252	253	---	---	253
	TOTAL	4	312	316	59	23	398
SOUTHERN REGION	Federal	667	33	700	35	210	945
	State & Private	35,080	1,346	36,426	7,024	---	43,450
	TOTAL	35,747	1,379	37,126	7,059	210	44,395
EASTERN AREA	Federal	201	61	264	53	86	403
	State & Private	8,234	3,661	11,895	7,844	---	19,739
	TOTAL	8,435	3,724	12,159	7,897	86	20,142

NUMBER OF FIRES BY AREA TYPES 1/

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	Commercial Forest	Non-Commercial Forest	TOTAL FOREST	TOTAL NONFORESTED WATERSHED	Fires Not Identified By Area Type 2/	GRAND TOTAL
ALABAMA	Federal	51	1	52	---	10	62
	State & Private	3,975	294	4,269	443	---	4,712
	TOTAL	4,026	295	4,321	443	10	4,774
ALASKA	Federal	3	60	63	59	23	145
	State & Private	1	252	253	---	---	253
	TOTAL	4	312	316	59	23	398
ARIZONA	Federal	311	155	466	1,312	791	2,569
	State & Private	22	27	49	302	---	351
	TOTAL	333	182	515	1,614	791	2,920
ARKANSAS	Federal	65	2	67	1	21	89
	State & Private	1,765	---	1,765	420	---	2,185
	TOTAL	1,830	2	1,832	421	21	2,274
CALIFORNIA	Federal	105	111	216	278	782	1,276
	State & Private	574	1,382	1,956	5,346	---	7,302
	TOTAL	679	1,493	2,172	5,624	782	8,578
COLORADO	Federal	31	76	107	135	116	358
	State & Private	109	43	152	679	---	831
	TOTAL	140	119	259	814	116	1,189
CONNECTICUT	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---
	State & Private	1,100	---	1,100	---	---	1,100
	TOTAL	1,100	---	1,100	---	---	1,100
DELAWARE	Federal	---	---	---	1	---	1
	State & Private	7	---	7	---	---	7
	TOTAL	7	---	7	1	---	8
FLORIDA	Federal	53	2	55	4	27	86
	State & Private	2,673	500	3,173	1,009	---	4,182
	TOTAL	2,726	502	3,228	1,013	27	4,268
GEORGIA	Federal	33	2	35	1	12	48
	State & Private	6,922	---	6,922	---	---	6,922
	TOTAL	6,955	2	6,957	1	12	6,970
GUAM	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---
	State & Private	---	20	20	940	---	960
	TOTAL	---	20	20	940	---	960

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--Calendar Year 1983

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY AREA TYPES 1/					
		Commercial Forest	Non-Commercial Forest	TOTAL FOREST	TOTAL NONFORESTED WATERSHED	Fires Not Identified By Area Type 2/	GRAND TOTAL
HAWAII	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---
	State & Private	7	57	64	160	---	224
	TOTAL	7	57	64	160	---	224
IDAHO	Federal	31	36	67	219	347	633
	State & Private	163	21	184	43	---	227
	TOTAL	194	57	251	262	347	860
ILLINOIS	Federal	2	---	2	1	6	9
	State & Private	16	---	16	66	---	82
	TOTAL	18	---	18	67	6	91
INDIANA	Federal	---	1	1	---	1	2
	State & Private	34	13	47	372	---	419
	TOTAL	34	14	48	372	1	421
IOWA	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---
	State & Private	36	---	36	1,173	---	1,209
	TOTAL	36	---	36	1,173	---	1,209
KANSAS	Federal	---	---	---	1	---	1
	State & Private	56	---	56	4,802	---	4,858
	TOTAL	56	---	56	4,803	---	4,859
KENTUCKY	Federal	36	3	39	---	20	59
	State & Private	1,743	1	1,744	288	---	2,032
	TOTAL	1,779	4	1,783	288	20	2,091
LOUISIANA	Federal	78	2	80	1	14	95
	State & Private	3,944	---	3,944	---	---	3,944
	TOTAL	4,022	2	4,024	1	14	4,039
MAINE	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---
	State & Private	420	83	503	147	---	650
	TOTAL	420	83	503	147	---	650
MARYLAND	Federal	---	---	---	1	---	1
	State & Private	246	48	294	243	---	537
	TOTAL	246	48	294	244	---	538

NUMBER OF FIRES BY AREA TYPES 1/

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	Commercial Forest	Non-Commercial Forest	TOTAL FOREST	TOTAL NONFORESTED WATERSHED	Fires Not Identified By Area Type 2/	GRAND TOTAL
MASSACHUSETTS	Federal	---	1	1	2	---	3
	State & Private	709	2,518	3,227	1,567	---	4,794
	TOTAL	709	2,519	3,228	1,569	---	4,797
MICHIGAN	Federal	20	2	22	5	19	46
	State & Private	416	20	436	111	---	547
	TOTAL	436	22	458	116	19	593
MINNESOTA	Federal	60	54	114	18	33	165
	State & Private	362	281	643	675	---	1,318
	TOTAL	422	335	757	693	33	1,483
MISSISSIPPI	Federal	137	3	140	---	22	162
	State & Private	3,234	---	3,234	805	---	4,039
	TOTAL	3,371	3	3,374	805	22	4,201
MISSOURI	Federal	69	---	69	1	13	83
	State & Private	1,248	22	1,270	1,698	---	2,968
	TOTAL	1,317	22	1,339	1,699	13	3,051
MONTANA	Federal	107	136	243	259	175	677
	State & Private	242	61	303	23	---	326
	TOTAL	349	197	546	282	175	1,003
NEBRASKA	Federal	---	7	7	10	3	20
	State & Private	---	---	---	1,172	---	1,172 3/
	TOTAL	---	7	7	1,182	3	1,192
NEVADA	Federal	23	67	90	237	25	352
	State & Private	6	12	18	165	---	183
	TOTAL	29	79	108	402	25	535
NEW HAMPSHIRE	Federal	---	1	1	---	1	2
	State & Private	624	208	832	---	---	832
	TOTAL	624	209	833	---	1	834
NEW JERSEY	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---
	State & Private	765	166	931	160	---	1,091
	TOTAL	765	166	931	160	---	1,091
NEW MEXICO	Federal	133	95	228	23	368	619
	State & Private	64	19	83	185	---	268
	TOTAL	197	114	311	208	368	887
[illegible]	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---
	State & Private	163	110	273	83	---	356
	TOTAL	163	110	273	83	---	356

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STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY AREA TYPES 1/					
		Commercial Forest	Non-Commercial Forest	TOTAL FOREST	TOTAL NONFORESTED WATERSHED	Fires Not Identified By Area Type 2/	GRAND TOTAL
NORTH CAROLINA	Federal	33	4	37	3	12	52
	State & Private	2,269	156	2,425	359	---	2,784
	TOTAL	2,302	160	2,462	362	12	2,836
NORTH DAKOTA	Federal	---	---	---	141	---	141
	State & Private	4	17	21	372	---	393
	TOTAL	4	17	21	513	---	534
OHIO	Federal	10	---	10	---	3	13
	State & Private	---	---	---	---	---	--- 3/
	TOTAL	10	---	10	---	3	13
OKLAHOMA	Federal	45	5	50	11	10	71
	State & Private	722	365	1,087	483	---	1,570
	TOTAL	767	370	1,137	494	10	1,641
OREGON	Federal	178	96	274	162	581	1,017
	State & Private	556	13	569	145	---	714
	TOTAL	734	109	843	307	581	1,731
PENNSYLVANIA	Federal	2	1	3	1	2	6
	State & Private	675	---	675	273	---	948
	TOTAL	677	1	678	274	2	954
PUERTO RICO	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---
	State & Private	---	---	---	---	---	---
	TOTAL	---	---	---	---	---	---
RHODE ISLAND	Federal	---	1	1	---	---	1
	State & Private	47	35	82	26	---	108
	TOTAL	47	36	83	26	---	109
SOUTH CAROLINA	Federal	51	---	51	---	10	61
	State & Private	3,675	30	3,705	601	---	4,306
	TOTAL	3,726	30	3,756	601	10	4,367
SOUTH DAKOTA	Federal	39	10	49	343	51	443
	State & Private	64	18	82	868	---	950
	TOTAL	103	28	131	1,211	51	1,393

NUMBER OF FIRES BY AREA TYPES 1/

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	Commercial Forest	Non-Commercial Forest	TOTAL FOREST	TOTAL NONFORESTED WATERSHED	Fires Not Identified By Area Type 2/	GRAND TOTAL
TENNESSEE	Federal	43	2	45	2	32	79
	State & Private	2,102	---	2,102	799	---	2,901
	TOTAL	2,145	2	2,147	801	32	2,980
TEXAS	Federal	24	2	26	10	6	42
	State & Private	1,171	---	1,171	---	---	1,171
	TOTAL	1,195	2	1,197	10	6	1,213
UTAH	Federal	16	39	55	172	94	321
	State & Private	2	30	32	293	---	325
	TOTAL	18	69	87	465	94	646
VERMONT	Federal	---	---	---	---	1	1
	State & Private	---	---	---	---	---	--- 3/
	TOTAL	---	---	---	---	1	1
VIRGINIA	Federal	18	5	23	2	14	39
	State & Private	885	---	885	1,817	---	2,702
	TOTAL	903	5	908	1,819	14	2,741
WASHINGTON	Federal	56	33	89	79	179	347
	State & Private.	400	61	461	35	---	496
	TOTAL	456	94	550	114	179	843
WEST VIRGINIA	Federal	4	1	5	---	4	9
	State & Private	1,102	10	1,112	313	---	1,425
	TOTAL	1,106	11	1,117	313	4	1,434
WISCONSIN	Federal	34	1	35	23	3	61
	State & Private	264	147	411	937	---	1,348
	TOTAL	298	148	446	960	3	1,409
WYOMING	Federal	23	26	49	53	75	177
	State & Private	50	5	55	636	---	691
	TOTAL	73	31	104	689	75	868

1/ See page 1 for area type (Land Classification) definitions.

2/ Forest Service Class A fires are not categorized by area type and are reflected in this column.

3/ Complete breakdowns by area types were not available.

Table 5. .er of Wildfires in the United States by Size Classes
--Protected Area Only--By States and Groups of States
--Calendar Year 1983

GROUPS OF STATES	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY SIZE CLASSES 1/								Number Fires In Classes E, F, & G	Percent of Total Number Fires
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	TOTAL		
UNITED STATES	Federal	5,867	3,127	1,007	186	153	72	32	10,444	257	2.46
	State & Private	28,837	43,656	11,094	761	270	91	16	84,725	377	0.44
	TOTAL	34,704	46,783	12,101	947	423	163	48	95,169	634	0.66
PACIFIC	Federal	1,032	206	67	26	11	15	7	1,364	33	2.41
NORTHWEST	State & Private	847	318	37	5	3	---	---	1,210	3	0.24
REGION	TOTAL	1,879	524	104	31	14	15	7	2,574	36	1.39
PACIFIC	Federal	905	256	78	18	14	4	1	1,276	19	1.48
SOUTHWEST	State & Private	5,646	2,128	531	99	59	21	2	8,486	82	0.96
REGION	TOTAL	6,551	2,384	609	117	73	25	3	9,762	101	1.03
NORTHERN	Federal	778	357	172	53	48	26	17	1,451	91	6.27
REGION	State & Private	452	233	234	12	12	3	---	946	15	1.58
	TOTAL	1,230	590	406	65	60	29	17	2,397	106	4.42
INTERMOUNTAIN	Federal	402	134	59	31	24	18	5	673	47	6.98
REGION	State & Private	209	176	65	16	18	15	9	508	42	8.26
	TOTAL	611	310	124	47	42	33	14	1,181	89	7.53
ROCKY	Federal	475	373	115	14	18	4	---	999	22	2.20
MOUNTAIN	State & Private	4,598	2,801	933	102	50	28	2	8,514	80	0.93
REGION	TOTAL	5,073	3,174	1,048	116	68	32	2	9,513	102	1.07
SOUTHWESTERN	Federal	1,849	1,048	232	30	25	3	1	3,188	29	0.90
REGION	State & Private	216	211	112	40	28	11	1	619	40	6.46
	TOTAL	2,065	1,259	344	70	53	14	2	3,807	69	1.81
ALASKA	Federal	59	56	26	3	1	---	---	145	1	0.68
REGION	State & Private	179	61	9	1	1	---	2	253	3	1.18
	TOTAL	238	117	35	4	2	---	2	398	4	1.00
SOUTHERN	Federal	220	503	200	10	10	1	1	945	12	1.26
REGION	State & Private	8,149	27,396	7,484	352	65	4	---	43,450	69	0.15
	TOTAL	8,369	27,899	7,684	362	75	5	1	44,395	81	0.18
NORTHEASTERN	Federal	147	194	58	1	2	1	---	403	3	0.74
AREA	State & Private	8,541	10,332	1,689	134	34	9	---	20,739	43	0.20
	TOTAL	8,688	10,526	1,747	135	36	10	---	21,142	46	0.21

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY SIZE CLASSES 1/ A	B	C	D	E	F	G	TOTAL	Number Fires In Classes E, F, & G	Percent of Total Number Fires
ALABAMA	Federal	10	43	9	---	---	---	---	62	---	0.00
	State & Private	316	3,064	1,238	79	14	2	---	4,712	16	0.33
	TOTAL	326	3,107	1,247	79	14	2	---	4,774	16	0.33
ALASKA	Federal	69	56	26	3	1	---	---	145	1	0.68
	State & Private	179	61	9	1	1	---	2	253	3	1.18
	TOTAL	238	117	35	4	2	---	2	398	4	1.00
ARIZONA	Federal	1,393	903	219	26	25	2	1	2,569	28	1.08
	State & Private	119	121	65	31	11	4	---	351	15	4.27
	TOTAL	1,512	1,024	284	57	36	6	1	2,920	43	1.47
ARKANSAS	Federal	20	52	16	1	---	---	---	89	---	0.00
	State & Private	268	1,362	527	20	8	---	---	2,185	8	0.36
	TOTAL	288	1,414	543	21	8	---	---	2,274	8	0.35
CALIFORNIA	Federal	905	256	78	18	14	4	1	1,276	19	1.48
	State & Private	5,353	1,426	377	81	50	14	1	7,302	65	0.89
	TOTAL	6,258	1,682	455	99	64	18	2	8,578	84	0.97
COLORADO	Federal	273	58	21	1	5	---	---	358	5	1.39
	State & Private	357	379	77	11	2	5	---	831	7	0.84
	TOTAL	630	437	98	12	7	5	---	1,189	12	1.00
CONNECTICUT	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	774	312	14	---	---	---	---	1,100	---	0.00
	TOTAL	774	312	14	---	---	---	---	1,100	---	0.00
DELAWARE	Federal	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	0.00
	State & Private	---	6	1	---	---	---	---	7	---	0.00
	TOTAL	---	7	1	---	---	---	---	8	---	0.00
FLORIDA	Federal	32	40	14	---	---	---	---	86	---	0.00
	State & Private	1,034	2,328	754	54	11	1	---	4,182	12	0.28
	TOTAL	1,066	2,368	768	54	11	1	---	4,268	12	0.28
GEORGIA	Federal	11	30	6	---	1	---	---	48	1	2.08
	State & Private	1,408	4,964	537	11	2	---	---	6,922	2	0.02
	TOTAL	1,419	4,994	543	11	3	---	---	6,970	3	0.04
GUAM	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	166	643	138	8	3	2	---	960	5	0.52
	TOTAL	166	643	138	8	3	2	---	960	5	0.52

Table 1 Number of Wildfires in the United States by Size Classes
--Protected Area Only--By States and Groups of States
--Calendar Year 1983

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY SIZE CLASSES 1/								Number Fires In Classes E, F, & G	Percent of Total Number Fires
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	TOTAL		
HAWAII	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	127	59	16	10	6	5	1	224	12	5.35
	TOTAL	127	59	16	10	6	5	1	224	12	5.35
IDAHO	Federal	376	96	76	24	30	16	15	633	61	9.63
	State & Private	148	60	16	2	1	---	---	227	1	0.44
	TOTAL	524	156	92	26	31	16	15	860	62	7.20
ILLINOIS	Federal	5	4	---	---	---	---	---	9	---	0.00
	State & Private	---	54	27	1	---	---	---	82	---	0.00
	TOTAL	5	58	27	1	---	---	---	91	---	0.00
INDIANA	Federal	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	2	---	0.00
	State & Private	127	222	61	9	---	---	---	419	---	0.00
	TOTAL	127	223	62	9	---	---	---	421	---	0.00
IOWA	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	64	1,141	4	---	---	---	---	1,209	---	0.00
	TOTAL	64	1,141	4	---	---	---	---	1,209	---	0.00
KANSAS	Federal	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	1	---	0.00
	State & Private	3,230	1,077	481	42	20	7	1	4,858	28	0.57
	TOTAL	3,230	1,077	482	42	20	7	1	4,859	28	0.57
KENTUCKY	Federal	20	24	14	1	---	---	---	59	---	0.00
	State & Private	108	1,180	705	33	6	---	---	2,032	6	0.29
	TOTAL	128	1,204	719	34	6	---	---	2,091	6	0.28
LOUISIANA	Federal	12	57	24	---	2	---	---	95	2	2.10
	State & Private	390	2,938	594	21	1	---	---	3,944	1	0.02
	TOTAL	402	2,995	618	21	3	---	---	4,039	3	0.07
MAINE	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	354	285	9	1	1	---	---	650	1	0.15
	TOTAL	354	285	9	1	1	---	---	650	1	0.15
MARYLAND	Federal	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	0.00
	State & Private	228	265	28	10	3	3	---	537	6	1.11
	TOTAL	228	266	28	10	3	3	---	539	6	1.11

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY SIZE CLASSES 1/ A	B	C	D	E	F	G	TOTAL	Number Fires In Classes E, F, & G	Percent of Total Number Fires
MASSACHUSETTS	Federal	---	2	1	---	---	---	---	3	---	0.00
	State & Private	3,236	1,496	62	---	---	---	---	4,794	---	0.00
	TOTAL	3,236	1,498	63	---	---	---	---	4,797	---	0.00
MICHIGAN	Federal	21	14	10	---	---	1	---	46	1	2.17
	State & Private	141	334	64	6	2	---	---	547	2	0.36
	TOTAL	162	348	74	6	2	1	---	593	3	0.50
MINNESOTA	Federal	55	95	14	---	1	---	---	165	1	0.60
	State & Private	252	770	241	36	16	3	---	1,318	19	1.44
	TOTAL	307	865	255	36	17	3	---	1,483	20	1.34
MISSISSIPPI	Federal	23	97	37	3	1	1	---	162	2	1.23
	State & Private	257	2,613	1,134	32	3	---	---	4,039	3	0.07
	TOTAL	280	2,710	1,171	35	4	1	---	4,201	5	0.11
MISSOURI	Federal	9	46	26	1	1	---	---	83	1	1.20
	State & Private	581	1,803	551	29	4	---	---	2,968	4	0.13
	TOTAL	590	1,849	577	30	5	---	---	3,051	5	0.16
MONTANA	Federal	336	206	80	26	17	10	2	677	29	4.28
	State & Private	230	71	15	6	1	3	---	326	4	1.22
	TOTAL	566	277	95	32	18	13	2	1,003	33	3.29
NEBRASKA	Federal	4	10	5	1	---	---	---	20	---	0.00
	State & Private	371	677	114	12	6	3	1	1,184	10	0.84
	TOTAL	375	687	119	13	6	3	1	1,204	10	0.83
NEVADA	Federal	223	65	22	17	12	13	---	352	25	7.10
	State & Private	101	65	9	2	2	3	1	183	6	3.27
	TOTAL	324	130	31	19	14	16	1	535	31	5.79
NEW HAMPSHIRE	Federal	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	2	---	0.00
	State & Private	499	330	3	---	---	---	---	832	---	0.00
	TOTAL	500	331	3	---	---	---	---	834	---	0.00
NEW JERSEY	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	503	540	43	1	1	3	---	1,091	4	0.36
	TOTAL	503	540	43	1	1	3	---	1,091	4	0.36
NEW MEXICO	Federal	456	145	13	4	---	1	---	619	1	0.16
	State & Private	97	90	47	9	17	7	1	268	25	9.32
	TOTAL	553	235	60	13	17	8	1	887	26	2.93
NEW YORK	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	130	194	28	4	---	---	---	356	---	0.00
	TOTAL	130	194	28	4	---	---	---	356	---	0.00

Table 5 er of Wildfires in the United States by Size Classes
--Protectea Area Only--By States and Groups of States
--Calendar Year 1983

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY SIZE CLASSES 1/ A	B	C	D	E	F	G	TOTAL	Number Fires In Classes E, F, & G	Percent of Total Number Fires
NORTH CAROLINA	Federal	13	21	17	---	---	---	1	52	1	1.92
	State & Private	814	1,708	245	16	1	---	---	2,784	1	0.03
	TOTAL	827	1,729	262	16	1	---	1	2,836	2	0.07
NORTH DAKOTA	Federal	66	55	16	3	1	---	---	141	1	0.70
	State & Private	74	102	203	4	10	---	---	393	10	2.54
	TOTAL	140	157	219	7	11	---	---	534	11	2.05
OHIO	Federal	3	9	1	---	---	---	---	13	---	0.00
	State & Private	195	581	60	2	---	---	---	838	---	0.00
	TOTAL	198	590	61	2	---	---	---	851	---	0.00
OKLAHOMA	Federal	12	42	15	1	1	---	---	71	1	1.40
	State & Private	274	823	412	47	13	1	---	1,570	14	0.89
	TOTAL	286	865	427	48	14	1	---	1,641	15	0.91
OREGON	Federal	766	148	52	19	10	15	7	1,017	32	3.14
	State & Private	531	159	18	5	1	---	---	714	1	0.14
	TOTAL	1,297	307	70	24	11	15	7	1,731	33	1.90
PENNSYLVANIA	Federal	2	2	2	---	---	---	---	6	---	0.00
	State & Private	270	592	81	5	---	---	---	948	---	0.00
	TOTAL	272	594	83	5	---	---	---	954	---	0.00
PUERTO RICO	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	TOTAL	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
RHODE ISLAND	Federal	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	1	---	0.00
	State & Private	67	36	5	---	---	---	---	108	---	0.00
	TOTAL	67	36	6	---	---	---	---	109	---	0.00
SOUTH CAROLINA	Federal	10	30	20	---	1	---	---	61	1	1.63
	State & Private	1,147	2,832	316	8	3	---	---	4,306	3	0.06
	TOTAL	1,157	2,862	336	8	4	---	---	4,367	4	0.09
SOUTH DAKOTA	Federal	99	246	74	10	11	3	---	443	14	3.16
	State & Private	370	405	147	16	7	5	---	950	12	1.26
	TOTAL	469	651	221	26	18	8	---	1,393	26	1.86

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	NUMBER OF FIRES BY SIZE CLASSES 1/ A	B	C	D	E	F	G	TOTAL	Number Fires In Classes E, F, & G	Percent of Total Number Fires
TENNESSEE	Federal	32	32	13	1	1	---	---	79	1	1.26
	State & Private	305	1,951	617	25	3	---	---	2,901	3	0.10
	TOTAL	337	1,983	630	26	4	---	---	2,980	4	0.13
TEXAS	Federal	6	21	10	2	3	---	---	42	3	7.14
	State & Private	127	714	325	5	---	---	---	1,171	---	0.00
	TOTAL	133	735	335	7	3	---	---	1,213	3	0.24
UTAH	Federal	179	69	37	14	12	5	5	321	22	6.85
	State & Private	108	111	56	14	16	12	8	325	36	11.07
	TOTAL	287	180	93	28	28	17	13	646	58	8.97
VERMONT	Federal	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	0.00
	State & Private	112	46	4	---	---	---	---	162	---	0.00
	TOTAL	113	46	4	---	---	---	---	163	---	0.00
VIRGINIA	Federal	19	14	5	1	---	---	---	39	---	0.00
	State & Private	1,702	919	80	1	---	---	---	2,702	---	0.00
	TOTAL	1,721	933	85	2	---	---	---	2,741	---	0.00
WASHINGTON	Federal	266	58	15	7	1	---	---	347	1	0.28
	State & Private	316	159	19	---	2	---	---	496	2	0.40
	TOTAL	582	217	34	7	3	---	---	843	3	0.35
WEST VIRGINIA	Federal	4	3	2	---	---	---	---	9	---	0.00
	State & Private	282	763	343	30	7	---	---	1,425	7	0.49
	TOTAL	286	766	345	30	7	---	---	1,434	7	0.48
WISCONSIN	Federal	46	15	---	---	---	---	---	61	---	0.00
	State & Private	726	562	60	---	---	---	---	1,348	---	0.00
	TOTAL	772	577	60	---	---	---	---	1,409	---	0.00
WYOMING	Federal	99	59	14	2	2	1	---	177	3	1.69
	State & Private	270	263	114	21	15	8	---	691	23	3.32
	TOTAL	369	322	128	23	17	9	---	868	26	2.99

1/ Size Classes:

A = 0.25 acres or less
B = 0.26 acres to 9 acres
C = 10 acres to 99 acres
D = 100 acres to 299 acres
E = 300 acres to 999 acres
F = 1000 acres to 4,999 acres
G = 5,000 acres or more

Table 7.--Acres Burned by Wildfires in the United States by Causes
--Protected Area Only--By States and Groups of States
--Calendar Year 1983

GROUPS OF STATES	OWNERSHIP	ACRES BURNED BY CAUSE CLASSES 1/										PERSON-CAUSED	
		Lightning	Campfires	Smoking	Debris Burning	Incendiary	Equipment Use	Railroads	Children	Miscellaneous	TOTAL	Acres Burned	Percent of Total
UNITED STATES	Federal	764,627	18,091	15,491	39,058	38,165	30,854	7,007	12,648	91,022	1,016,963	252,336	24.81
	State & Private	189,506	9,134	33,926	169,853	331,125	66,394	31,162	17,652	96,999	943,750	754,246	79.92
	TOTAL	954,132	27,225	49,417	208,911	369,290	96,248	38,169	30,300	187,021	1,960,713	1,006,581	51.33
PACIFIC NORTHWEST REGION	Federal	178,545	11,223	280	6,210	512	1,887	397	97	16,010	215,161	36,616	17.01
	State & Private	723	392	22	2,338	102	91	4	24	239	3,935	3,212	81.62
	TOTAL	179,268	11,615	302	8,548	614	1,978	401	121	16,249	219,096	39,828	18.17
PACIFIC SOUTHWEST REGION	Federal	2,766	2,419	652	741	6,236	4,769	707	589	4,735	23,604	20,838	88.28
	State & Private	11,373	872	2,596	16,777	34,555	29,248	1,055	5,086	18,250	119,812	108,439	90.50
	TOTAL	14,139	3,291	3,248	17,518	40,791	34,007	1,762	5,675	22,985	143,416	129,277	90.14
NORTHERN REGION	Federal	187,849	839	6,017	19,364	13,309	8,153	2,212	6,722	28,691	273,156	85,307	31.23
	State & Private	9,001	44	2,826	3,191	61	2,368	2,240	250	4,123	23,804	14,803	62.18
	TOTAL	196,850	883	8,843	22,555	13,370	10,521	4,452	6,972	32,814	296,960	100,110	33.71
INTERMOUNTAIN REGION	Federal	363,282	190	2,272	6,997	3,222	13,983	3,358	411	14,345	407,060	43,778	10.75
	State & Private	71,574	5	3,870	2,181	17,025	1,830	6,445	485	7,652	111,067	39,493	35.55
	TOTAL	434,856	195	6,142	8,178	20,247	15,813	9,803	896	21,997	518,127	83,271	16.07
ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGION	Federal	20,029	139	481	5,023	1,525	701	29	1,456	4,594	33,977	13,948	41.05
	State & Private	38,339	1,338	2,560	17,295	1,664	12,383	11,638	1,568	32,626	119,411	81,072	67.89
	TOTAL	58,368	1,477	3,041	22,318	3,189	13,084	11,667	3,024	37,220	153,388	95,020	61.94
SOUTHWESTERN REGION	Federal	7,150	2,764	6,447	826	2,673	972	264	3,133	12,888	36,777	28,627	80.01
	State & Private	23,390	1,842	4,297	6,867	428	7,708	1,703	979	4,263	50,477	27,087	53.66
	TOTAL	30,540	4,596	9,744	6,693	3,101	8,680	1,967	4,112	16,821	86,284	55,714	64.59
ALASKA REGION	Federal	2,506	17	26	36	---	---	---	---	---	2,585	79	3.05
	State & Private	23,181	10	26	9,017	14	3	4	6	16	32,276	9,095	28.17
	TOTAL	25,687	27	51	9,053	14	3	4	6	16	34,861	9,174	26.31
SOUTHERN REGION	Federal	1,297	184	59	681	8,964	251	26	14	9,358	20,824	19,527	93.77
	State & Private	10,858	3,296	14,871	78,829	218,992	7,106	5,053	5,614	22,235	366,854	355,996	97.04
	TOTAL	12,155	3,480	14,930	79,510	227,946	7,357	5,079	5,628	31,593	387,678	375,523	96.86
NORTHEASTERN AREA	Federal	1,203	326	267	180	1,734	148	14	226	731	4,819	3,616	75.03
	State & Private	1,066	1,335	3,189	34,358	58,284	4,657	3,020	3,640	6,595	116,114	115,048	99.08
	TOTAL	2,269	1,661	3,416	34,538	60,018	4,805	3,034	3,866	7,326	120,933	118,664	98.12

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	ACRES BURNED BY CAUSE CLASSES 1/										PERSON-CAUSED	
		Lightning	Campfires	Smoking	Debris Burning	Incendiary	Equipment Use	Railroads	Children	Miscellaneous	TOTAL	Acres Burned	Percent of Total
ALABAMA	Federal	65	---	15	---	305	9	---	---	56	450	385	85.55
	State & Private	576	168	2,287	10,601	46,257	674	531	1,091	1,553	62,738	62,162	99.08
	TOTAL	641	168	2,302	10,601	46,562	683	531	1,091	1,609	63,188	62,547	98.98
ALASKA	Federal	2,506	17	26	36	---	---	---	---	---	2,586	79	3.06
	State & Private	23,181	10	25	9,017	14	3	4	6	16	32,276	9,095	28.17
	TOTAL	25,687	27	51	9,053	14	3	4	6	16	34,861	9,174	26.31
ARIZONA	Federal	5,013	2,716	5,434	763	2,672	969	264	3,128	12,470	33,418	28,405	84.99
	State & Private	2,861	1,831	4,243	4,759	323	1,642	152	674	3,142	19,627	16,766	85.42
	TOTAL	7,874	4,546	9,677	5,512	2,995	2,611	416	3,802	15,612	53,046	45,171	85.15
ARKANSAS	Federal	43	---	6	4	633	2	---	---	2	690	647	93.76
	State & Private	436	230	2,692	6,030	19,179	1,165	330	339	1,409	31,810	31,374	98.62
	TOTAL	479	230	2,698	6,034	19,812	1,167	330	339	1,411	32,500	32,021	98.52
CALIFORNIA	Federal	2,766	2,419	652	741	6,236	4,769	707	589	4,735	23,604	20,838	88.28
	State & Private	11,373	696	1,272	8,129	17,758	29,179	1,055	4,725	13,396	87,683	76,210	87.01
	TOTAL	14,139	3,115	1,924	8,870	23,994	33,938	1,762	5,314	18,131	111,187	97,048	87.28
COLORADO	Federal	11,991	34	6	67	---	33	21	9	661	12,822	831	6.48
	State & Private	55	1,143	775	1,789	379	1,177	660	---	6,874	11,752	11,697	99.53
	TOTAL	12,046	1,177	781	1,856	379	1,210	681	9	6,535	24,574	12,528	50.98
CONNECTICUT	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	4	153	30	62	384	24	3	128	45	833	829	99.51
	TOTAL	4	153	30	62	384	24	3	128	45	833	829	99.51
DELAWARE	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3	3	3	100.00
	State & Private	1	---	1	6	4	---	---	18	---	30	29	96.66
	TOTAL	1	---	1	6	4	---	---	18	3	33	32	96.96
FLORIDA	Federal	219	5	13	---	145	10	---	---	177	569	350	61.51
	State & Private	3,574	634	1,405	8,229	17,719	153	562	997	7,890	41,063	37,489	91.29
	TOTAL	3,793	639	1,418	8,229	17,864	163	562	997	8,067	41,632	37,839	90.88
GEORGIA	Federal	423	2	4	60	114	---	---	---	17	620	197	31.77
	State & Private	2,591	283	1,948	8,498	8,732	902	1,015	1,332	1,228	26,529	23,938	90.23
	TOTAL	3,014	285	1,952	8,558	8,846	902	1,016	1,332	1,245	27,149	24,135	88.89
GUAM	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	---	---	80	647	9,396	---	---	224	---	10,247	10,247	100.00
	TOTAL	---	---	80	647	9,396	---	---	224	---	10,247	10,247	100.00

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Table 7.· ‹ Burned by Wildfires in the United States by Causes
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STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	ACRES BURNED BY CAUSE CLASSES 1/ Lightning	Campfires	Smoking	Debris Burning	Incendiary	Equipment Use	Railroads	Children	Miscellaneous	TOTAL	PERSON-CAUSED Acres Burned	Percent of Total
HAWAII	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	---	176	1,244	8,101	7,401	69	---	137	4,854	21,982	21,982	100.00
	TOTAL	---	176	1,244	8,101	7,401	69	---	137	4,854	21,982	21,982	100.00
IDAHO	Federal	152,881	773	294	16,597	13,103	6,273	1,663	6,390	20,133	217,107	64,226	29.58
	State & Private	482	2	42	662	21	32	31	3	110	1,386	903	65.19
	TOTAL	153,363	775	336	16,259	13,124	6,305	1,694	6,393	20,243	218,492	65,129	29.80
ILLINOIS	Federal	---	4	3	1	---	---	---	---	---	8	8	100.00
	State & Private	---	---	253	562	60	1	36	---	36	948	948	100.00
	TOTAL	---	4	256	563	60	1	36	---	36	956	956	100.00
INDIANA	Federal	---	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	2	100.00
	State & Private	6	30	463	2,130	426	123	177	10	232	3,587	3,581	99.83
	TOTAL	6	30	465	2,130	426	123	177	10	232	3,589	3,583	99.83
IOWA	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	13	---	161	429	94	27	126	59	378	1,287	1,274	98.98
	TOTAL	13	---	161	429	94	27	126	59	378	1,287	1,274	98.98
KANSAS	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	10	10	10	100.00
	State & Private	9,013	30	990	10,376	815	4,747	2,832	344	15,744	44,891	35,878	79.92
	TOTAL	9,013	30	990	10,376	815	4,747	2,832	344	15,754	44,901	35,888	79.92
KENTUCKY	Federal	9	20	---	---	600	---	---	12	19	660	651	98.63
	State & Private	45	1,105	1,816	7,398	14,473	670	382	483	5,330	31,702	31,657	99.86
	TOTAL	54	1,125	1,816	7,398	15,073	670	382	495	5,349	32,362	32,308	99.83
LOUISIANA	Federal	---	3	5	4	1,623	3	7	---	29	1,674	1,674	100.00
	State & Private	28	35	169	2,239	28,074	100	215	32	287	31,179	31,151	99.91
	TOTAL	28	38	174	2,243	29,697	103	222	32	316	32,853	32,825	99.91
MAINE	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	357	21	33	380	249	48	28	59	10	1,185	828	69.87
	TOTAL	357	21	33	380	249	48	28	59	10	1,185	828	69.87
MARYLAND	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	---	2	4	4	100.00
	State & Private	10	181	77	243	6,947	38	2	49	162	7,706	7,696	99.87
	TOTAL	10	181	77	243	6,947	38	4	49	164	7,710	7,700	99.87

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	ACRES BURNED BY CAUSE CLASSES 1/										PERSON-CAUSED	
		Lightning	Campfires	Smoking	Debris Burning	Incendiary	Equipment Use	Railroads	Children	Miscellaneous	TOTAL	Acres Burned	Percent of Total
MASSACHUSETTS	Federal	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	52	53	53	100.00
	State & Private	---	94	83	347	950	33	164	1,455	315	3,441	3,441	100.00
	TOTAL	---	94	83	347	951	33	164	1,455	367	3,494	3,494	100.00
MICHIGAN	Federal	1,201	34	6	35	52	121	5	---	---	1,454	253	17.40
	State & Private	177	74	342	824	1,351	397	80	108	1,021	4,374	4,197	95.95
	TOTAL	1,378	108	348	859	1,403	518	85	108	1,021	5,828	4,450	76.35
MINNESOTA	Federal	---	66	12	141	81	9	7	216	651	1,183	1,183	100.00
	State & Private	32	32	139	8,278	17,768	168	169	305	430	27,321	27,289	99.88
	TOTAL	32	98	151	8,419	17,849	177	176	521	1,081	28,504	28,472	99.88
MISSISSIPPI	Federal	23	7	10	55	1,842	12	---	---	1,776	3,725	3,702	99.38
	State & Private	14	65	879	4,784	36,388	234	62	128	767	43,321	43,307	99.96
	TOTAL	37	72	889	4,839	38,230	246	62	128	2,543	47,046	47,009	99.92
MISSOURI	Federal	---	151	229	---	1,526	5	---	---	---	1,911	1,911	100.00
	State & Private	241	296	702	12,677	10,656	1,068	661	155	729	27,175	26,934	99.11
	TOTAL	241	447	931	12,677	12,182	1,073	661	155	729	29,086	28,845	99.17
MONTANA	Federal	34,676	60	5,723	3,259	200	1,705	549	240	8,092	54,404	19,828	36.44
	State & Private	3,186	15	3	1,646	---	1,166	26	124	346	6,512	3,326	51.07
	TOTAL	37,762	75	5,726	4,905	200	2,871	575	364	8,438	60,916	23,154	38.00
NEBRASKA	Federal	141	1	---	62	---	2	8	10	51	275	134	48.72
	State & Private	9,478	---	208	2,295	157	3,121	3,139	18	1,165	19,581	10,103	51.59
	TOTAL	9,619	1	208	2,357	157	3,123	3,147	28	1,216	19,856	10,237	51.55
NEVADA	Federal	24,322	87	1,772	4,123	525	9,642	3,263	302	3,372	47,308	22,986	48.58
	State & Private	368	3	3,770	540	15	10	6,208	399	4,407	15,720	15,382	97.85
	TOTAL	24,690	90	5,542	4,663	540	9,652	9,471	701	7,779	63,028	38,338	60.82
NEW HAMPSHIRE	Federal	---	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	2	100.00
	State & Private	21	29	34	44	7	23	8	84	104	354	333	94.06
	TOTAL	21	29	36	44	7	23	8	84	104	356	335	94.10
NEW JERSEY	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	4	118	174	29	4,828	1,429	29	177	341	7,129	7,125	99.94
	TOTAL	4	118	174	29	4,828	1,429	29	177	341	7,129	7,125	99.94
NEW MEXICO	Federal	2,137	39	13	73	1	3	---	5	88	2,359	222	9.41
	State & Private	20,529	11	54	1,108	105	6,066	1,551	305	1,121	30,850	10,321	33.45
	TOTAL	22,666	50	67	1,181	106	6,069	1,551	310	1,209	33,209	10,543	31.74
NEW YORK	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	99	120	62	986	68	27	14	83	127	1,585	1,484	93.75
	TOTAL	99	120	62	986	68	27	14	83	127	1,585	1,486	93.76

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Table 7.--Acr[illegible]d by Wildfires in the United States by Causes
--Protected Area only--By States and Groups of States
--Calendar Year 1983 (Continued)

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	ACRES BURNED BY CAUSE CLASSES 1/										PERSON-CAUSED	
		Lightning	Campfires	Smoking	Debris Burning	Incendiary	Equipment Use	Railroads	Children	Miscellaneous	TOTAL	Acres Burned	Percent of Total
NORTH CAROLINA	Federal	2	16	1	28	266	---	---	---	6,200	6,613	6,611	99.96
	State & Private	762	110	931	3,699	4,760	802	514	399	532	12,499	11,747	93.98
	TOTAL	764	126	932	3,727	5,026	802	514	399	6,732	19,012	18,258	96.03
NORTH DAKOTA	Federal	392	6	---	508	6	175	---	92	466	1,645	1,263	76.17
	State & Private	5,333	27	2,481	883	40	1,170	2,183	123	3,667	15,907	10,674	66.47
	TOTAL	5,725	33	2,481	1,391	46	1,345	2,183	215	4,133	17,552	11,827	67.38
OHIO	Federal	---	---	---	---	63	2	---	---	1	66	66	100.00
	State & Private	---	21	170	1,418	244	101	68	43	477	2,542	2,542	100.00
	TOTAL	---	21	170	1,418	307	103	68	43	478	2,608	2,608	100.00
OKLAHOMA	Federal	12	---	1	626	730	7	10	2	66	1,363	1,341	99.11
	State & Private	745	53	10	6,460	21,466	603	38	49	339	29,763	29,018	97.49
	TOTAL	757	53	11	6,986	22,196	610	48	51	405	31,116	30,359	97.56
OREGON	Federal	178,319	11,181	87	5,135	358	1,640	398	33	15,704	212,752	34,433	16.18
	State & Private	560	296	9	1,144	14	---	1	12	116	2,152	1,692	73.97
	TOTAL	178,879	11,477	96	6,279	372	1,640	396	45	15,820	214,904	36,025	16.76
PENNSYLVANIA	Federal	---	23	---	---	---	11	---	---	---	34	34	100.00
	State & Private	22	69	88	1,118	1,897	249	371	119	105	4,038	4,016	99.45
	TOTAL	22	92	88	1,118	1,897	260	371	119	105	4,072	4,050	99.45
PUERTO RICO	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	TOTAL	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
RHODE ISLAND	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	22	22	22	100.00
	State & Private	---	4	---	18	51	87	---	3	15	178	178	100.00
	TOTAL	---	4	---	18	51	87	---	3	37	200	200	100.00
SOUTH CAROLINA	Federal	82	1	3	---	775	6	4	---	89	960	878	91.45
	State & Private	1,717	166	1,313	3,803	6,572	744	265	263	495	15,328	13,611	88.79
	TOTAL	1,799	167	1,316	3,803	7,347	750	269	263	584	16,288	14,489	88.95
SOUTH DAKOTA	Federal	7,011	45	465	3,864	1,614	376	---	1,437	3,864	18,676	11,565	62.25
	State & Private	11,948	1	427	100	265	3,094	262	336	2,190	18,613	6,665	35.80
	TOTAL	18,959	46	892	3,964	1,779	3,470	262	1,773	6,064	37,189	18,230	49.01

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	ACRES BURNED BY CAUSE CLASSES 1/ Lightning	Campfires	Smoking	Debris Burning	Incendiary	Equipment Use	Railroads	Children	Miscellaneous	TOTAL	PERSON-CAUSED Acres Burned	Percent of Total
TENNESSEE	Federal	49	18	---	4	1,257	---	---	---	46	1,374	1,325	96.43
	State & Private	73	81	601	10,728	11,988	419	575	98	901	25,464	26,391	99.71
	TOTAL	122	99	601	10,732	13,245	419	575	98	947	26,838	26,716	99.54
TEXAS	Federal	337	31	1	1	476	200	---	---	842	1,888	1,551	82.15
	State & Private	95	437	319	5,266	3,642	385	486	178	882	11,690	11,595	99.18
	TOTAL	432	468	320	5,267	4,118	585	486	178	1,724	13,578	13,146	96.81
UTAH	Federal	338,960	103	500	1,874	2,697	4,441	95	109	10,973	359,752	20,792	5.77
	State & Private	71,206	2	100	1,641	17,010	1,820	237	86	3,245	95,347	24,141	25.31
	TOTAL	410,166	105	600	3,515	19,707	6,261	332	195	14,218	456,099	44,933	9.87
VERMONT	Federal	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.00
	State & Private	40	2	4	109	15	18	3	4	32	227	187	82.37
	TOTAL	40	2	4	109	15	18	3	4	32	227	187	82.37
VIRGINIA	Federal	33	81	---	---	188	2	5	---	39	348	315	90.51
	State & Private	212	39	501	1,094	742	255	78	225	622	3,768	3,556	94.37
	TOTAL	245	120	501	1,094	930	257	83	225	661	4,116	3,871	94.04
WASHINGTON	Federal	226	42	193	1,075	154	347	2	64	306	2,409	2,183	90.61
	State & Private	163	96	13	1,194	88	91	3	12	123	1,783	1,620	90.86
	TOTAL	389	138	206	2,269	242	438	5	76	429	4,192	3,803	90.72
WEST VIRGINIA	Federal	2	39	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	44	42	95.45
	State & Private	7	47	272	3,623	11,976	551	815	521	1,776	19,587	19,580	99.96
	TOTAL	9	86	275	3,623	11,976	551	815	521	1,776	19,631	19,622	99.95
WISCONSIN	Federal	---	9	---	3	11	---	---	10	---	33	33	100.00
	State & Private	32	44	81	1,076	310	248	276	260	260	2,587	2,555	98.76
	TOTAL	32	53	81	1,079	321	248	276	270	260	2,620	2,588	98.77
WYOMING	Federal	886	59	10	1,030	11	290	---	---	8	2,294	1,408	61.37
	State & Private	7,845	164	160	2,735	48	244	4,855	870	7,653	24,574	16,729	68.07
	TOTAL	8,731	223	170	3,765	59	534	4,855	870	7,661	26,868	18,137	67.50

1/ See page 2 for Fire Cause definitions.

Table 8. Burned by Wildfires in the United States by Area Type Class Protected Area Only--By States and Groups of States --Calendar Year 1983

ACRES BURNED BY AREA TYPE CLASSES 1/

GROUPS OF STATES	OWNERSHIP	Commercial Forest	Non-Commercial Forest	TOTAL FOREST	Percent of Total Acreage Burned	TOTAL NONFORESTED WATERSHED	Percent of Total Acreage Burned	TOTAL NUMBER OF ACRES BURNED	Average No. Acres Burned Per Fire
UNITED STATES	Federal	61,192	46,143	107,335	10.55	909,628	89.44	1,016,963	97
	State & Private	389,319	86,267	475,586	50.40	467,857	49.59	943,443 2/	11
	TOTAL	450,511	132,410	582,921	29.73	1,377,485	70.26	1,960,406	20
PACIFIC NORTHWEST REGION	Federal	11,395	2,614	14,009	6.51	201,152	93.48	215,161	157
	State & Private	2,647	733	3,380	85.89	555	14.10	3,935	3
	TOTAL	14,042	3,347	17,389	7.93	201,707	92.06	219,096	85
PACIFIC SOUTHWEST REGION	Federal	655	1,170	1,825	7.73	21,779	92.26	23,604	18
	State & Private	5,291	19,282	24,573	20.50	95,239	79.49	119,812	14
	TOTAL	5,946	20,452	26,398	18.40	117,018	81.59	143,416	14
NORTHERN REGION	Federal	28,849	20,319	49,168	17.99	223,988	82.00	273,156	188
	State & Private	3,607	3,788	7,396	31.06	16,409	68.93	23,804	26
	TOTAL	32,456	24,107	56,563	19.04	240,397	80.96	296,960	123
INTERMOUNTAIN REGION	Federal	1,837	2,001	3,838	0.94	403,222	99.05	407,060	604
	State & Private	13	842	855	0.76	110,212	99.23	111,067	218
	TOTAL	1,850	2,843	4,693	0.90	513,434	99.09	518,127	438
ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGION	Federal	3,655	10,378	14,033	41.30	19,944	58.69	33,977	34
	State & Private	2,554	5,532	8,086	6.77	111,245	93.22	119,331	14
	TOTAL	6,209	15,910	22,119	14.42	131,189	85.57	153,308	16
SOUTHWESTERN REGION	Federal	669	5,935	6,604	18.45	29,173	81.54	35,777	11
	State & Private	343	168	511	1.01	49,966	98.98	50,477	81
	TOTAL	1,012	6,103	7,115	8.24	79,139	91.75	86,254	22
ALASKA REGION	Federal	4	1,085	1,089	42.12	1,496	57.87	2,585	17
	State & Private	8,623	23,653	32,276	100.00	---	0.00	32,276	127
	TOTAL	8,627	24,738	33,366	95.70	1,496	4.29	34,861	87
SOUTHERN REGION	Federal	10,754	2,428	13,182	63.30	7,642	36.69	20,824	22
	State & Private	310,191	20,373	330,564	90.10	36,290	9.89	366,854	8
	TOTAL	320,945	22,801	343,746	88.66	43,932	11.33	387,678	8
NORTHEASTERN AREA	Federal	3,374	213	3,587	74.43	1,232	25.56	4,819	11
	State & Private	56,050	11,896	67,946	58.63	47,941	41,36	115,887	5
	TOTAL	59,424	12,109	71,533	59.26	49,173	40.73	120,706	5

ACRES BURNED BY AREA TYPE CLASSES 1/

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	Commercial Forest	Non-Commercial Forest	TOTAL FOREST	Percent of Total Acreage Burned	TOTAL NONFORESTED WATERSHED	Percent of Total Acreage Burned	TOTAL NUMBER OF ACRES BURNED	Average No. Acres Burned Per Fire
ALABAMA	Federal	449	1	450	100.00	---	0.00	450	7
	State & Private	56,620	2,739	59,359	94.61	3,379	5.38	62,738	13
	TOTAL	57,069	2,740	59,809	94.65	3,379	5.34	63,188	13
ALASKA	Federal	4	1,085	1,089	42.12	1,496	57.87	2,585	17
	State & Private	8,623	23,653	32,276	100.00	---	0.00	32,276	127
	TOTAL	8,627	24,738	33,365	95.70	1,496	4.29	34,861	87
ARIZONA	Federal	432	4,254	4,686	14.02	28,732	85.97	33,418	13
	State & Private	57	135	192	0.97	19,435	99.02	19,627	55
	TOTAL	489	4,389	4,878	9.19	48,167	90.80	53,045	18
ARKANSAS	Federal	677	12	689	99.85	1	0.14	690	7
	State & Private	26,238	---	26,238	82.48	5,572	17.51	31,810	14
	TOTAL	26,915	12	26,927	82.85	5,573	17.14	32,500	14
CALIFORNIA	Federal	655	1,170	1,825	7.73	21,779	92.26	23,604	18
	State & Private	4,018	8,292	12,310	14.05	75,273	85.94	87,583	11
	TOTAL	4,673	9,462	14,135	12.71	97,052	87.28	111,187	12
COLORADO	Federal	41	9,989	10,030	78.22	2,792	21.77	12,822	35
	State & Private	133	839	972	8.27	10,780	91.72	11,752	14
	TOTAL	174	10,828	11,002	44.77	13,572	55.22	24,574	20
CONNECTICUT	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---
	State & Private	833	---	833	100.00	---	0.00	833	---
	TOTAL	833	---	833	100.00	---	0.00	833	---
DELAWARE	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	3	100.00	3	3
	State & Private	30	---	30	100.00	---	0.00	30	4
	TOTAL	30	---	30	90.90	3	9.09	33	4
FLORIDA	Federal	538	30	568	99.82	1	0.17	569	6
	State & Private	26,244	4,908	31,152	75.86	9,911	24.13	41,063	9
	TOTAL	26,782	4,938	31,720	76.19	9,912	23.80	41,632	9
GEORGIA	Federal	213	405	618	99.67	2	0.32	620	12
	State & Private	26,529	---	26,529	100.00	---	0.00	26,529	3
	TOTAL	26,742	405	27,147	99.99	2	0.00	27,149	3
GUAM	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---
	State & Private	---	362	362	3.53	9,885	96.46	10,247	10
	TOTAL	---	362	362	3.53	9,885	96.46	10,247	10

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ACRES BURNED BY AREA TYPE CLASSES 1/

STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	Commercial Forest	Non-Commercial Forest	TOTAL FOREST	Percent of Total Acreage Burned	TOTAL NONFORESTED WATERSHED	Percent of Total Acreage Burned	TOTAL NUMBER OF ACRES BURNED	Average No. Acres Burned Per Fire
HAWAII	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---
	State & Private	1,273	10,628	11,901	54.13	10,081	45.86	21,982	98
	TOTAL	1,273	10,628	11,901	54.13	10,081	45.86	21,982	98
IDAHO	Federal	1,010	11,906	12,916	5.94	204,191	94.05	217,107	342
	State & Private	180	90	270	19.49	1,115	80.50	1,385	6
	TOTAL	1,190	11,996	13,186	6.03	205,306	93.96	218,492	254
ILLINOIS	Federal	2	---	2	25.00	6	75.00	8	---
	State & Private	103	---	103	10.86	845	89.13	948	11
	TOTAL	105	---	105	10.98	851	89.01	956	10
INDIANA	Federal	---	2	2	100.00	---	0.00	2	1
	State & Private	844	186	1,030	28.71	2,557	71.28	3,587	8
	TOTAL	844	188	1,032	28.75	2,557	71.24	3,589	8
IOWA	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---
	State & Private	39	---	39	3.03	1,248	96.96	1,287	1
	TOTAL	39	---	39	3.03	1,248	96.96	1,287	1
KANSAS	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	10	100.00	10	10
	State & Private	377	---	377	0.83	44,514	99.16	44,891	9
	TOTAL	377	---	377	0.83	44,524	99.16	44,901	9
KENTUCKY	Federal	641	19	660	100.00	---	0.00	660	11
	State & Private	30,545	1	30,546	96.35	1,156	3.64	31,702	15
	TOTAL	31,186	20	31,206	96.42	1,156	3.57	32,362	15
LOUISIANA	Federal	1,209	5	1,214	72.52	460	27.47	1,674	17
	State & Private	31,179	---	31,179	100.00	---	0.00	31,179	7
	TOTAL	32,388	5	32,393	98.59	460	1.40	32,853	8
MAINE	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---
	State & Private	772	46	818	69.02	367	30.97	1,185	1
	TOTAL	772	46	818	69.02	367	30.97	1,185	1
MARYLAND	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	4	100.00	4	4
	State & Private	731	78	809	10.49	6,897	89.50	7,706	14
	TOTAL	731	78	809	10.49	6,901	89.50	7,710	14

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MASSACHUSETTS	Federal	---	2	2	3.77	51	96.22	53	17
	State & Private	891	1,713	2,604	75.67	837	24.32	3,441	---
	TOTAL	891	1,715	2,606	74.58	888	25.41	3,494	---
MICHIGAN	Federal	800	3	803	55.22	651	44.77	1,454	31
	State & Private	2,504	927	3,431	78.44	943	21.55	4,374	7
	TOTAL	3,304	930	4,234	72.64	1,594	27.35	5,828	9
MINNESOTA	Federal	646	109	755	63.82	428	36.17	1,183	7
	State & Private	3,990	6,312	10,302	37.70	17,019	62.29	27,321	20
	TOTAL	4,636	6,421	11,057	38.79	17,447	61.20	28,504	19
MISSISSIPPI	Federal	2,154	1,571	3,725	100.00	---	0.00	3,725	22
	State & Private	39,639	---	39,639	91.50	3,682	8.49	43,321	10
	TOTAL	41,793	1,571	43,364	92.17	3,682	7.82	47,046	11
MISSOURI	Federal	1,798	48	1,846	96.59	65	3.40	1,911	23
	State & Private	15,031	367	15,398	56.66	11,777	43.33	27,175	9
	TOTAL	16,829	415	17,244	59.28	11,842	40.71	29,086	9
MONTANA	Federal	27,839	8,413	36,252	66.63	18,152	33.36	54,404	80
	State & Private	3,137	3,328	6,465	99.27	47	0.72	6,512	19
	TOTAL	30,976	11,741	42,717	70.12	18,199	29.87	60,916	60
NEBRASKA	Federal	---	36	36	13.09	239	86.90	275	13
	State & Private	---	---	---	0.00	19,501	100.00	19,501	16
	TOTAL	---	36	36	0.18	19,740	99.81	19,776	16
NEVADA	Federal	1,781	1,187	2,968	6.27	44,340	93.72	47,308	134
	State & Private	10	34	44	0.27	15,676	99.72	15,720	85
	TOTAL	1,791	1,221	3,012	4.77	60,016	95.22	63,028	117
NEW HAMPSHIRE	Federal	---	2	2	100.00	---	0.00	2	1
	State & Private	266	88	354	100.00	---	0.00	354	---
	TOTAL	266	90	356	100.00	---	0.00	356	---
NEW JERSEY	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---
	State & Private	4,991	1,088	6,079	85.27	1,050	14.72	7,129	6
	TOTAL	4,991	1,088	6,079	85.27	1,050	14.72	7,129	6
NEW MEXICO	Federal	237	1,681	1,918	81.30	441	18.69	2,359	3
	State & Private	286	33	319	1.03	30,631	98.96	30,850	115
	TOTAL	523	1,714	2,237	6.73	30,972	93.26	33,209	37
[illegible]	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---
	State & Private	666	672	1,338	84.41	247	15.58	1,585	4
	TOTAL	666	672	1,338	84.41	247	15.58	1,585	4

See footnotes at end of table

Table 8. Burned by Wildfires in the United States by Area Type Clas. /rotected Area Only--By States and Groups of States
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STATE, TERRITORY or COMMONWEALTH	OWNERSHIP	Commercial Forest	Non-Commercial Forest	TOTAL FOREST	Percent of Total Acreage Burned	TOTAL NONFORESTED WATERSHED	Percent of Total Acreage Burned	TOTAL NUMBER OF ACRES BURNED	Average No. Acres Burned Per Fire
NORTH CAROLINA	Federal	414	37	451	6.92	6,062	93.07	6,513	125
	State & Private	11,495	291	11,786	94.29	713	5.70	12,499	4
	TOTAL	11,909	328	12,237	64.36	6,775	35.63	19,012	6
NORTH DAKOTA	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	1,645	100.00	1,645	11
	State & Private	290	370	660	4.14	15,247	95.85	15,907	40
	TOTAL	290	370	660	3.76	16,892	96.23	17,552	32
OHIO	Federal	66	---	66	100.00	---	0.00	66	5
	State & Private	1,274	---	1,274	50.11	1,268	49.88	2,542	3
	TOTAL	1,340	---	1,340	51.38	1,268	48.61	2,608	3
OKLAHOMA	Federal	1,297	29	1,326	98.00	27	1.99	1,353	19
	State & Private	14,900	8,285	23,185	77.89	6,578	22.10	29,763	18
	TOTAL	16,197	8,314	24,511	78.77	6,605	21.22	31,116	18
OREGON	Federal	9,871	2,590	12,461	5.85	200,291	94.14	212,752	209
	State & Private	1,142	659	1,801	83.68	351	16.31	2,152	3
	TOTAL	11,013	3,249	14,262	6.63	200,642	93.36	214,904	124
PENNSYLVANIA	Federal	22	1	23	67.64	11	32.35	34	5
	State & Private	3,387	---	3,387	83.87	651	16.12	4,038	4
	TOTAL	3,409	1	3,410	83.74	662	16.25	4,072	4
PUERTO RICO	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---
	State & Private	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---
	TOTAL	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---
RHODE ISLAND	Federal	---	22	22	100.00	---	0.00	22	22
	State & Private	121	47	168	94.38	10	5.61	178	1
	TOTAL	121	69	190	95.00	10	5.00	200	1
SOUTH CAROLINA	Federal	960	---	960	100.00	---	0.00	960	15
	State & Private	12,240	960	13,200	86.11	2,128	13.88	15,328	3
	TOTAL	13,200	960	14,160	86.93	2,128	13.06	16,288	3
SOUTH DAKOTA	Federal	3,411	258	3,669	19.75	14,907	80.24	18,576	41
	State & Private	286	265	551	2.96	18,062	97.03	18,613	19
	TOTAL	3,697	523	4,220	11.34	32,969	88.65	37,189	26

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TENNESSEE	Federal	1,347	17	1,364	99.27	10	0.72	1,374	17
	State & Private	19,811	3,152	22,963	90.17	2,501	9.82	25,464	8
	TOTAL	21,158	3,169	24,327	90.64	2,511	9.35	26,838	9
TEXAS	Federal	653	170	823	43.59	1,065	56.40	1,888	44
	State & Private	11,690	---	11,690	100.00	---	0.00	11,690	9
	TOTAL	12,343	170	12,513	92.15	1,065	7.84	13,578	11
UTAH	Federal	56	814	870	0.24	358,882	99.75	359,752	1,120
	State & Private	3	808	811	0.85	94,536	99.14	95,347	293
	TOTAL	59	1,622	1,681	0.36	453,418	99.63	455,099	704
VERMONT	Federal	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---
	State & Private	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---
	TOTAL	---	---	---	0.00	---	0.00	---	---
VIRGINIA	Federal	202	132	334	95.97	14	4.02	348	8
	State & Private	3,061	37	3,098	82.21	670	17.78	3,768	1
	TOTAL	3,263	169	3,432	83.38	684	16.61	4,116	1
WASHINGTON	Federal	1,524	24	1,548	64.25	861	35.74	2,409	6
	State & Private	1,505	74	1,579	88.55	204	11.44	1,783	3
	TOTAL	3,029	98	3,127	74.59	1,065	25.40	4,192	4
WEST VIRGINIA	Federal	24	15	39	88.63	5	11.36	44	4
	State & Private	18,681	17	18,698	95.46	889	4.53	19,587	13
	TOTAL	18,705	32	18,737	95.44	894	4.55	19,631	13
WISCONSIN	Federal	16	9	25	75.75	8	24.24	33	---
	State & Private	896	355	1,251	48.35	1,336	51.64	2,587	1
	TOTAL	912	364	1,276	48.70	1,344	51.29	2,620	1
WYOMING	Federal	203	95	298	12.99	1,996	87.00	2,294	12
	State & Private	1,758	4,428	6,186	25.17	18,388	74.82	24,574	35
	TOTAL	1,961	4,523	6,484	24.13	20,384	75.86	26,868	30

1/ See page 1 for area type (Land Classification) definitions.

2/ Total does not include 307 acres burned for Nebraska and Vermont where breakdowns by area types were unavailable.